

NEW YEAR STORM DEATHS OVER 100

SLEET GLAZE
COVERS MOST
OF MICHIGANLAKE ERIE HOMES
EVACUATED; WIRE
LINES DOWN

(By The Associated Press)

The worst storm in years held Michigan fast in the grip of ice and snow today.

At least four persons were dead.

Milan, Romulus, Manchester, Fennville and Saugatuck were isolated from telephone contact with the world.

A thousand telephone wires were down in Detroit. Over 100 telephone poles in Southeastern Michigan toppled under the weight of ice.

The Detroit Edison Co. called it the worst storm since 1939 in the Detroit area. Some sources labeled it the worst in 35 years.

The Automobile Club of Michigan asked motorists to stay off highways except for "most urgent traveling." It reported a three to four inch coat of ice generally.

Live Wires Are Menace

Detroit residents were warned that their lives were at stake if they ventured near countless fallen live wires.

Michigan Bell Telephone Co. said Adrian was isolated except for one direct wire circuit and an emergency line to Jackson.

Flat Rock was in contact with Trenton only by an emergency line.

The power failed at Ypsilanti during the night but emergency systems kept the city in contact with the outside. Power was restored to normal today.

ORCHARDS ESCAPE

Benton Harbor, Mich., Jan. 2 (P)—Orchards in south-western Michigan escaped major damage although coated with frozen rain, horticulturists reported today.

Calreton depended on a mobile telephone system.

There were no circuits between Detroit and the following Canadian points: Leamington, Kingsville, Hamilton, St. Thomas, Petrolia and Montreal.

Circuits were down but alternate service was being provided from Detroit to Hillsdale, Dundee, South Haven, Three Rivers, St. Johns, and Tecumseh.

Northern Counties Skipped

Pittsford and Osseo were without electric service today. On Thursday these communities plus Pankers, Reading, Camden and Montgomery were similarly affected.

Michigan Bell asked residents not to place calls for the southwestern section of the state where service was crippled.

The northern part of western Michigan escaped the worst of the storm but snow was five inches deep at Traverse City and Cadillac, six inches at Muskegon and 12 inches at Grand Rapids.

Rescued By Rowboat

Sheriff's officers in Monroe county operated rowboats over water-filled roads to remove the lakeshore residents from their beach homes along Lake Erie as rising waters seeped into basements and put heating systems out of commission.

However, the lake waters were reported receding early today.

A car-truck crash a few miles east of Perry on M-78 killed Eli J. Banavich of Flint and fatally injured his wife, Betty, both 22.

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Weather

Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau

UPPER MICHIGAN: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Colder in the interior tonight. Rising temperature Saturday.

ESCANABA AND VICINITY: Generally fair and not quite so cold tonight, wind light variable. Saturday partly cloudy with rising temperature, wind south and southeast 10 to 20 MPH. High 32, low 24.

ESCANABA High 32 Low 18

Temperatures—Low Today

Battle Creek	22	Lansing	22
Bismarck	7	Los Angeles	44
Brownsville	40	Marquette	25
Buffalo	23	Memphis	29
Cadillac	15	Miami	72
Calumet	18	Minneapolis	24
Chicago	28	New Orleans	57
Cincinnati	32	New York	30
Cleveland	23	Phoenix	32
Dallas	23	Pittsburgh	24
Denver	19	St. Louis	25
Detroit	26	San Francisco	53
Duluth	24	St. Joseph	57
Grand Rapids	23	Traverse City	21
Jacksonville	30	Washington	36
Kansas City	12		



WEARY OF WHIRL — Evangeline de Castro, 17, (above) Miss Philippines of 1947, confided in Manila that she is weary of the fast stepping social life to which she has been a party ever since winning the title. She intends to enter a convent, she announced. (NEA Telephoto)

REDS TOO BUSY
IN CANAL ZONEHouse Committee Will
Conduct Hearings On
Spot In Panama

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST

Washington, Jan. 2 (P)—Chairman Thomas (R-NJ) announced today that the House committee on un-American activities will make an on the spot investigation into this month of "Communist infiltration" in the Panama Canal Zone.

The Panama inquiry will be part of a five-point program the committee has outlined for immediate consideration. This includes a resumption of the investigation of Communist influences in Hollywood and hearings on attempts to steal atom bomb information, to indoctrination of Negro groups with Communist and the spread of Fascism.

Thomas said he will conduct the Panama investigation, assisted by Robert E. Stripling, chief investigator. Whether other committee members will accompany them to Panama has not been decided.

"We are going to investigate primarily reports that Communists are making headway in their program to infiltrate labor groups in the Panama Canal Zone," Thomas told a reporter.

He declined to say whether he and Stripling will inquire also into the current controversy between the government of Panama and the United States over leasing of bomber bases to this country.

There have been hints in committee circles that one of the main reasons for the Panama trip is to check on reports that anti-American propaganda disseminated by Russia played a large part in the decision of Panama to refuse continued use of the bases.

Vandenberg Will Push St. Lawrence Seaway Legislation

Washington, Jan. 2 (P)—Senator Wiley (R-Wis) said today he has "definite assurances" from Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) that the latter "will insist" that legislation authorizing the St. Lawrence seaway be placed before the Senate this month for "final consideration."

Wiley, chairman of a foreign relations subcommittee that held hearings on the much-debated legislation last spring, said he sought the assurance from Vandenberg after Senator Taft (R-Ohio), chairman of the Republican policy committee, failed to include the measure on his list of "vital" legislation to be taken up at the regular session opening Jan. 6.

Vandenberg, as presiding officer of the Senate, is ex-officio a member of the policy committee and, in behalf of himself and 13 other senators, introduced the seaway bill.

Conventions in 1948 Bring Grand Rapids \$5,000,000 Business

Grand Rapids, Jan. 2 (P)—Convention Bureau Manager Frank Whitwam said today that 1948 for the third consecutive year, would bring Grand Rapids \$5,000,000 (million) in convention business.

Whitwam said 94 conventions, beginning with the annual winter furniture market Jan. 5-17, have been scheduled so far for the coming year.

House Speaker
GOP Prospect
For President

BY DOUGLAS B. CORNELL

Washington, Jan. 2 (P)—A one-man drive to make House Speaker Joseph W. Martin the compromise presidential nominee of the Republican party was launched today by Rep. Leo Allen (R-Ill.).

Allen appraised Martin's chances of getting the nomination at "one in five." He said the speaker knows of the campaign now getting under way to "talk him up."

"All he says," Allen told reporters, "is that he doesn't see how anyone could refuse the nomination."

The chairman of the influential House rules committee said he figures the Republican convention in Philadelphia this summer will supply an opening for Martin by following the pattern of 1940.

That was the year when Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York and Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio fought to a stand-off in the early rounds, allowing the late Wendell L. Willkie to snatch the nomination on the fifth ballot.

Farley On Ticket

Allen said he looks to him as if Dewey and Taft are in about the same positions they occupied eight years ago and have about the same strength.

He expects them to tangle with the same results, only this time: "Joe Martin would make the logical compromise choice. Everybody likes him and nobody's mad at him. I figure he's got about a one to five chance to get the nomination."

For a vice presidential running mate, he said, Martin should have a midwesterner or western veteran. Allen said he had nobody in mind but that Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota, who is gunning for first place on the ticket, would qualify as a midwestern veteran.

For that matter, so would Allen, although he doesn't mention the fact.

On the Democratic side, Allen said he thinks the ticket will be President Truman and James Farley, who recently announced his support for Mr. Truman. Farley is the former postmaster general and Democratic national chairman who parted ways with the late President Roosevelt when the third term campaign came along in 1940.

GREEK FORCES
DEFEAT REBELSCommunist-Led Guerrilla
Bands Chased Out
Of Konitsa

BY L. S. CHAKALES

Athens, Jan. 2 (P)—Greek War Minister George Stratos said today guerrilla forces were fleeing into the Grammos mountains after a "crushing defeat" inflicted in the battle of Konitsa, where a week-long siege of the government garrison was lifted yesterday.

The offensive against Konitsa was believed to have been aimed at capture of a capital for a Greek Communist government, existence of which was proclaimed in a Christmas Eve broadcast by insurgent Leader Markos Vafiades.

A general staff communiqué reviewing the seven-day battle said: "This is the first fruit which has been repeated by the bogus government of Slavocomunists."

The communiqué said one column of troops entered the town and relieved the Konitsa garrison yesterday, but that a second column was held up by fire aimed at the Bourazani bridge, 11 miles west of Konitsa.

The communiqué disclosed that on the first day of the attack the Konitsa garrison, consisting of some 900 men, was "completely isolated" by a force of more than 3,000 guerrillas made a frontal assault. Some sources estimated that the rebel strength totaled 10,000 men.

Married Veterans Can't Get Housing At Michigan State

East Lansing, Jan. 2 (P)—Housing prospects continue bleak for married veterans at Michigan State College. MSC housing officials said today.

College officials said there still are 1,050 applicants for the housing projects for married students although accommodations for single students will be adequate.

Starr Keesler, director of student housing, said 15 barracks with 60 apartments will be completed during the winter term. He termed the number of vacancies created by graduation at the close of the fall term "negligible."

There are 200 veterans on the waiting list for trailer accommodations, he said, and 850 await barracks apartments which now house 1,100 veterans and their families.

TRAIN WRECK
IN MISSOURI
FATAL TO 14WEDDELL, FORMER
ENVOY TO SPAIN
AMONG VICTIMS

By LARRY HALL

Otterville, Mo., Jan. 2 (P)—Alexander W. Weddell, former ambassador to Spain and Argentina, and 13 other holiday travelers were killed in the New Year's day collision of two passenger trains near this central Missouri town.

Approximately 12 persons were injured, five of whom required hospitalization.

The dead also included Mrs. Alexander W. Weddell and Frank M. Ryan, identified as a Hollywood movie director.

The collision occurred during a heavy snow storm while the Missouri Pacific's "The Missourian" was traveling from St. Louis to Kansas City in two sections.

Engine Rams Pullman

The engine of the second section rammed into the rear pullman of the first train, crushing the car so completely that torches were used to cut the wreckage apart and remove the dead.

All of those killed were occupants of the rear pullman.

The Weddells were enroute from their Richmond, Va., home to Tucson, Ariz.

Weddell, 71, had served in many diplomatic posts throughout the world. He began his state department career in 1907 when he became secretary to the minister to Denmark. He became ambassador to Argentina in 1933 and served until 1939, then asked President Roosevelt for the post in Spain.

He served as ambassador to Spain until his retirement in 1942.

The family of Frank Ryan also was killed in the wreck. They were identified as Mrs. Adelaide

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Jealous Dog Kills
Tiny Baby in Crib

Seattle, Jan. 2 (P)—A German shepherd dog dragged its master's month-old daughter from her crib yesterday while the family slept and bit the child fatally.

The father was Master Sgt. Robert May, 28, of Saltillo, Tex., currently stationed at Fort Lawton.

May told detective Claude Dodd of the sheriff's office the dog, which he purchased about five months ago, usually spent the night in the garage but had gotten out. He decided to leave the animal in the house for the night. It had never appeared vicious, he said, but was jealous of the May's other child, Lawrence, 18 months old.

When May and his wife arose this morning, the sergeant said, the baby's bassinet was overturned and the body about 15 feet away. It had been bitten severely on the side but not otherwise mutilated.

May asked Dodd to destroy the dog.

British War Bride Has 2 New Year's Babies in One Year

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 2 (P)—The British bride of a World War II veteran believes she "made history" by having her second New Year's baby in a year.

The infant, a boy, was born to Mrs. Ernest R. Soucy in a Worcester hospital, a year to the day after the birth of her first son.

Mrs. Soucy, the former Dorothy Smith of Walsall, England, met her husband in a YMCA canteen in Kidderminster where she was stationed with the women's land army. They were married in Walsall in 1945 and she came to the United States 18 months ago.

"I never expected to make history by having this happen," the happy mother said.

Oil Workers Tie Up Transportation In Manila Strike

Manila, Jan. 2 (P)—Temporary settlement of a strike by 1,300 workers of major American oil companies in the Philippines was announced tonight by the Court of Industrial Relations as a creeping paralysis began to overtake Manila's completely motorized transportation system.

J. M. Parish, general manager of Standard Vacuum Oil Company here, said demands of National Labor Union workers were "unfair."

He said Standard already was paying 3½ times the prevailing wage average, and that government statistics show the cost of living was cut in half during the past year.



HEADS FCC — Wayne Coy, radio director of the Washington Post, is the new chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, President Truman named him to succeed Charles Denny, who resigned last October.

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Worst hit of all the communities was Cotton Valley, La., where 12 persons were killed and property damage was estimated by a local contractor, G. E. Speed, at \$1,000,000.

Mayor Sam Coyle of the little town of 1,500 said the place was twisted into so much scrap lumber and estimated that 200 persons were injured. He placed the number made homeless by the big wind at 500.

To relieve the housing situation special trains hauled box cars into the stricken community to serve as temporary shelters and air forces planes flew in cots, tents, and blankets.

CABLE WORKERS ARE ON STRIKE

Overseas Communication Cut Off In Dispute Over New Contract

New York, Jan. 2 (P)—Union employees of four overseas communications companies went on strike early today but the firms declared at noon that service was being maintained without interruption by supervisory employees.

The four companies handle two-thirds of the commercial communication operations between the United States and the rest of the world.

The walkout, which involved some 3,500 employees, began at 12:01 a. m. (EST) and came while federal conciliators still were attempting to bridge differences between union and company negotiators.

The dispute stemmed from their failure to agree on provisions of new contracts to replace those which expired last midnight.

The companies are the Cables Division of the Western Union Telegraph company, Mackay Radio and Telegraph, Inc., the Commercial Cable company and All-America Cables.

The unions are the CIO American Communications Association and the Independent All-America Cables Employees Association whose members had voted to join the CIO union in strike action.

The last-ditch effort to avert the tieup involved the ACA and Western Union with conciliation officials hoping that agreement between the company and the union would serve as a pattern for overall settlement. Negotiations with the other companies were broken off earlier.

Leap From Family Car Kills Wife, 23, After Celebration

Reed City, Mich., Jan. 2 (P)—A jump from an automobile in the early hours of New Year's Day proved fatal to Mrs. Frances Pollaski, 23, of Chase.

Sheriff Edward J. Engel of Lake county said Mrs. Pollaski was a passenger in a car driven by her husband, James, 23. The sheriff quoted Pollaski as saying his wife leaped from his car on U. S.-10 near Nirvana while they were returning from a New Year's eve celebration at Baldwin.

Pollaski took his wife to Reed City hospital where she died Thursday.

Pollaski was ordered held pending further investigation and Coroner Herb Davis said authorities planned a post mortem.

Romanian Royalty Asks For Visas To Enter Switzerland

Bucharest, Romania, Jan. 2 (P)—The Romanian government asked today for 35 visas for former King Mihai, Queen Mother Helen and their retinue to enter Switzerland.

Diplomatic passports were requested for Mihai, who abdicated Tuesday, and his mother.

A spokesman for the Communist-dominated "popular democratic republic" which succeeded the monarchy, said the requests may reach Swiss federal offices in Bern tomorrow, but that a reply is not expected before late Monday or Tuesday, because Swiss offices close at noon on Saturday.

SPARS MUSKELLUNGE

Newberry (P)—David Ritter of Newberry started out the new year as a successful fisherman. He speared a 23-pound, 37-inch muskellunge in the Tahquamenon River.

Hundreds Homeless
In Tornado Ruins;
21 Dead, 250 Hurt

Shreveport, La., Jan. 2 (P)—Bitterly cold but clearing weather gripped Dixie today as five tornadoes ripped southern states set about burying 21 victims, patching up scores of injured, and sheltering hundreds of homeless.

The tornadoes struck just as the old year was dying and the new year was coming in. They hit first in Louisiana, Arkansas and Tennessee, then in Mississippi and Alabama.

The confirmed death toll by states was Louisiana 15, Tennessee 3, Arkansas 2 and Mississippi 1. No casualties were reported in Alabama.

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NEW YORK HAS ALL-DAY RAIN

Slippery Streets Slow Traffic; Suburban Railroad Out

New York, Jan. 2 (P)—A thick coating of ice glazed streets, felled power and communication lines and throttled almost completely the operations of at least one suburban railroad and brought new weather troubles today to the snow-harried metropolitan area.

An all-day rain, that froze yesterday as it fell, sheathed the city and its environs in a treacherous layer of ice, a quarter of an inch thick.

The sleet storm dealt its most staggering blows in the suburban areas where ice-encrusted trees toppled into the streets, power and telephone lines were severed and vehicles and pedestrians slipped slowly to a halt.

The Lackawanna railroad reported that its three electrified branches running from Hoboken, N. J., to Dover, Gladstone and Montclair in the same state had been knocked out by the storm. The branches carry some 35,000 daily commuters.

A spokesman for the road said that switches and signal systems were frozen and the Pantograph contacts so ice-laden they could not reach overhead power wires.

Steam and Diesel locomotives were being routed to the immobilized lines today but the railroad said it would be able to offer only skeleton service to morning commuters.

Eight firemen were overcome by smoke in fighting the blaze which started in the office in West 58th street at 7:19 a. m. (EST).

The rear wall of the four-story loft building at 230 West 58th St., caved in shortly before 10 a. m., but no one was injured. At that time fire officials said the front wall of the same building was weak and might also collapse.

Shortly after 10 a. m., Frank Murphy, chief of operations of the fire department, said the fire was under control.

Firefighters who rushed to the scene through icy streets described the blaze as throwing up the heaviest smoke they had seen "in 20 years of fighting fires."

Manhattan 5-Alarm Fire Spreads; Aged Carried to Safety

New York, Jan. 2 (P)—A five-alarm office building fire which spread to two converted apartment houses blanketed Manhattan's west side at Columbus Circle in dense smoke today.

An undetermined number of persons, many clad in nightclothes were led down ladders and an 80-year-old woman leaped to safety in a lifeline.

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Jet Planes Hang Up Speed Records In Tokyo Flights

Toyko, Jan. 2 (P)—Helped along by tailwinds, two P-80 jet fighter planes have marked up what may be new speed records, the U. S. Fifth Air Force announced today.

The 350 miles from Hiroshima to Tokyo was flown in 27 minutes by Lieut. William K. Thomas, Seattle, Wash., in an average ground speed of 777.7 miles per hour, headquarters reported.

On the following day, Lieut. John B. Chiehering of 57 West 58th street, New York City, flew from Misawa in northern Honshu to Sendai—a distance of 175 miles—in 13 minutes, 27 seconds, for an average ground speed of 780 miles per hour.

BANK CALL ISSUED

Washington, Jan. 2 (P)—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for a statement of the condition of all National banks at the close of business Dec. 31, 1947.

The porch, he added, will give occupants of the White House a place to sit in privacy in the afternoons for some "outside breathing."

TWISTERS HIT
DIXIE STATES;
SCORE KILLEDFREEZING RAIN AND
SNOW TAKE TOLL
IN WIDE AREA

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Winter's most damaging storms of ice and snow struck across the central states and eastward into southern New England over the New Year's holiday after a series of tornadoes ripped through five southern states.

The storms left a wide path of destruction in their wake. The property damage was expected to run into the millions. The death toll was heavy. In addition to 21 persons who were killed in the twisters which struck in Dixie, several persons lost their lives in traffic accidents attributed to the icy and snow-covered highways.

More than 80 persons died in traffic accidents over the holiday period. Fourteen persons were killed in a crash of two Missouri Pacific passenger trains in a snow storm in Otterville, Mo. The tornadoes which twisted through Louisiana, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi and Alabama injured 250, destroyed 240 homes and damaged 250 others.

Milwaukee Snowed Under

The freezing rain and snow, which yesterday centered near the Chicago area, continued today in many parts of the storm belt. The weather bureau said the freezing rains today extended over a narrow band from lower Michigan across Lake Erie to southern New England. Snow was expected to follow.

Snow continued to fall in parts of Illinois and Indiana and in Ohio and Pennsylvania. There was about 10 inches of new snow on the ground at Milwaukee and from six to 10 inches throughout lower Michigan. The fall in northern Illinois, southeastern Iowa and parts of Missouri measured from four to six inches.

SURVEY LISTS 130

The nation's violent death toll over the New Year holiday, an unofficial survey showed today, was 130, including more than 100 persons who lost their lives in traffic and railroad accidents.

The total number of fatalities from 6 p. m. Wednesday to midnight Thursday, which included 104 in traffic-rail mishaps and 26 from miscellaneous causes, compared to 116 for the corresponding period last year. The toll was far below the 238 violent deaths reported over the Christmas holiday period.

Temperatures in the Midwest, which yesterday hit a low of 35 below in Minnesota, moderated throughout the day and no sub-zero marks were reported early today.

Reports from the snow and ice storm areas were similar in connection with the crippling effect on transportation, communications and property damage.

Traffic-rail, motor and air—was disrupted and in some communities paralyzed. Sleet and freezing rain covering electric wires cut off telephone and light service. Street cars in many cities were halted and radios were also silenced due to mechanical difficulties and wrecked towers.

Scores of communities in several states reported power outages.

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Today's News Highlights

PRESS CARRIERS — New collection system installed by newspaper. Page 3.

RAILROADING — Eugene G. Day, formerly of Escanaba, retires as chief engineer of L. S. & I. railway at Marquette. Page 3.

QUIET HOLIDAY — No arrests and no fires in Escan

ESCANABA HAS QUIET HOLIDAY

No Arrests, No Fires In City During New Year's

If police records are any criterion, Escanaba's New Year's celebration was the quietest in years. There was not a single arrest over the holiday.

"I can remember when we had as many as 40 drunks in our jail on New Year's," Assistant Chief John Finn said this morning. "This year we didn't have any. Our men did find a couple drunks on the streets but they weren't bothering anybody and the officers took them to their homes."

Majorities were unusually careful over the holiday, too. Despite very slippery streets, there were no serious accidents and no injuries. Several minor mishaps were reported, resulting in bent fenders, but such accidents occur frequently during the winter months. The New Year's toll was no greater than other days, the police department reported.

Further evidence of the unusual care with which celebrators handled their cars over the holiday is indicated by the fact that there were no arrests for reckless driving or drunk driving.

The fire department, which usually has a series of New Year's fire calls, also had a quiet day on Jan. 1. There were no fire calls on New Year's Eve or New Year's Day, but the firemen answered two fire calls this morning.

The first was at 8:15 a. m. to the residence of Wesley Case, 326 South 19th street, where an overheated furnace started a fire that caused damage estimated at \$150. At 8:55 a. m. the north Escanaba department was called to the residence of John Breitman, Bay View. An overheated stove burned a large hole in the floor and the fire spread to a first floor false ceiling, causing considerable damage.

Holidays Are Over; Students Return To School and Exams

Monday is the day the holiday season officially ends and school students return to the classrooms for a vigorous round of reviewing prior to first semester examinations. Only two weeks remain until semester end, Jan. 16.

College students have begun to return and will continue for the next few days. Those who are enrolled in out-of-state schools have already left.

All city schools, including the adult education night school, commence again January 5. Parochial schools also resume work the same day.

For seniors the after Christmas period opens a busy round of pre-graduation activity and planning. Foremost item, outside of sports events, for EHS students will be the debate preliminary meet in Crystal Falls Jan. 10. Others to follow include the class play, dance and final debating tourney.

Hospital

Jeffrey Menard, sr., is a surgical patient at St. Francis hospital.

'QUEEN FOR A DAY'

Cornell, Jan. 2—Laverne Buckland was elected "queen for a day" at the Cornell 4-H club's Christmas party. Mrs. McFadden was master of ceremonies.

W D B C PROGRAM

FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 2

- 6:00—Evening News
- 6:15—Number Pieces
- 6:30—Sons of the Pioneers
- 6:45—So the Story Goes
- 7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.—News
- 7:15—Sports Review
- 7:30—Henry J. Taylor
- 7:45—Strictly Off the Record
- 8:00—Date Night
- 8:15—Allan Dale Show
- 8:30—Delta County Hour
- 9:00—Gabriel Heater
- 9:15—Real Stories from Real Life
- 9:30—Information Please
- 10:00—Meet the Press
- 10:30—Date Night
- 11:00—All the News
- 11:15—Orrin Tucker's Orchestra
- 11:30—Sign Off

SATURDAY, JAN. 3

- 6:30—George's Eye Opener
- 7:15—Great Moments in Sports
- 7:30—Eye Opener Continued
- 8:30—Proudly We Hail
- 8:45—Music for Saturday
- 9:15—Voice of the Army
- 9:30—Bob Hope's Hurleigh
- 9:45—Heaven Hall
- 10:00—Songs of the Dixie Four
- 10:15—Barbershop Harmony
- 10:30—Ozark Valley Folks
- 11:00—Bill Harrington Sings
- 11:15—Music in the Morgan Manner
- 11:30—Lunch Melodies
- 12:00—WDBC Harvesters
- 12:30—First National News
- 12:45—Strictly Instrumental
- 1:00—Lunch at Sardi's
- 1:30—Jimmy Lunceford's Orchestra
- 2:00—Warner Ruhl's Orchestra
- 2:30—Bob Leighton's Orchestra
- 3:00—Quaker City Serenade
- 3:30—King Guion's Orchestra
- 4:00—Sports Parade
- 4:30—Kort Novak's Orchestra
- 5:00—Lenny Herman's Orchestra
- 5:15—Diamond Jubilee Stakes
- 5:30—Date Orchestra
- 6:00—Evening News
- 6:15—Evening Concert
- 6:30—Your Business Reporter
- 6:45—Sports Review
- 7:00—Hawaii Calls
- 7:30—Saturday Night Symphony
- 8:00—Twenty Questions
- 8:30—Hospitality Club
- 9:00—Ston Me if You've Heard This One
- 9:30—What's the Name of that Song?
- 10:00—Chicago Theatre of the Air
- 11:00—Gene Krupa's Orchestra
- 11:15—M. M. Downey Sings
- 11:30—Sign Off

Briefly Told

Philatelic Society — The Escanaba Philatelic society will hold its January meeting in the city hall council chambers at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. All stamp collectors of Escanaba and vicinity are invited to attend.

Mrs. Blanche Gibbs, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fillion, her son-in-law and daughter, during the holiday season left this morning for her home in Chicago.

John Fillion is returning tonight from a New Year's visit in Milwaukee and will return to Appleton, Wis., Sunday to resume his studies at Lawrence college. John spent the vacation period here at the home of his father, Arthur Fillion.

Frank Lindsley, who spent the Christmas vacation at the home of his mother, Mrs. Emma Lindsley, 1321 First avenue south, has returned to East Lansing where he attends Michigan State college.

Ed McCarthy, who was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy, 322 First avenue south, for the holidays, left Friday for East Lansing to resume his studies at Michigan State college.

William Miron Jr., a student at Michigan State college, has returned after a vacation visit at the home of his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. William Miron.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Eliason, 1412 Stephenson avenue, have been called to Iron Mountain by the sudden death of Mrs. Eliason's brother, Alvin Holm, whose funeral will be held Saturday afternoon.

CIRCUIT COURT JURORS NAMED

Judge Glenn W. Jackson Will Preside Here In January Term

The names of jurors who will serve at the January term of circuit court, with Judge Glenn W. Jackson of Gladstone presiding, were announced today by J. Theodore Ohlen, Delta county clerk.

Judge Jackson, who on Jan. 1 succeeded the Hon. Frank A. Bell of Negaunee as judge of the 25th judicial circuit, will conduct court in his home county in his first session. Court will be held in the court house at Escanaba opening Monday morning, Jan. 12.

The jury will report for duty Wednesday, Jan. 14. The jurors are as follows:

Gladstone — Albert Rosenberg, Bertha Switzer, Selma Green, Rose M. Olson, Irving R. Pettit, Lucy Zimmel, Adolph Johnson.

Escanaba — Helen M. Rolfe, Frank Hartman, William Mulvaney, Earl J. Flagstad, Blanche LaPorte, Elmer Nicholson, Mrs. Bertha Smith, Marie Bryson.

Baldwin township — Paul Vandamme and Raymond Norden.

Bark River township — John H. Zawada and Herman Palmgren.

Bay de Noc township — Arthur Lorenson and George Honberg.

Brampton township — J. Walter Van De Weghe and Joseph Lucier.

Cornell township — Dorothy W. Woodward and Wilfred Mattson.

Ensign township — Sigvald Kallerson and Alice Constantino.

Escanaba township — Clara Solis and Richard Beauchamp.

Fairbanks township — Lloyd Ranguette.

Ford River township — Edwin Eltenhofer.

Garden township — Richard M. Morrison.

Maple Ridge township — Elmer Lepisto.

Masonville township — Sadie Minor.

Nahma township — Roy Wester.

Wells township — Jean Vanlerbergh.

Perkins

Robert Richard, who attends Western Michigan College of Education at Kalamazoo, is among students at home for the holidays. Robert is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richard, of Brampton, and with friends in Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. William DeKasier, jr., of Houghton, were holiday guests at the William DeKasier, sr., home.

Sgt. Francis LaChapelle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry LaChapelle, left Wednesday to return to his guard duties with the Marine Corps in Norfolk, Va., after spending a 15-day leave here.

86th Birthday Anniversary — Mrs. Elsie Godette, who recently celebrated her 86th birthday anniversary, was guest of honor at a social at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Godette, where she is making her home. A lunch was served and Mrs.

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JOHN H. CATISS, CHATHAM, DIES

Was Leader In Alger County Politics Many Years

Munising (P)—John H. Catiss, 77, of Chatham, prominent in Alger county politics for many years died Thursday of a heart attack. He was a former county officer and supervisor and had been chairman of the Alger county road commission for two years.

Mr. Catiss was born July 31, 1867, in Eagle River, where he was employed for many years as bookkeeper for the Lac LaBelle Mining company. He also was employed as bookkeeper for James H. Finn of Chatham.

Mr. Catiss operated a store in Chatham for some time. He was in partnership with C. C. Brown, and when this partnership dissolved he went into the store business with his brother, William Catiss.

After the store was destroyed in the community fire of 1925, he went into business for himself, operating a general merchandise store here for some time.

He served three terms as Chatham postmaster and several terms as Rock River supervisor. He also was secretary-treasurer of the Federal Farm Loan Association of St. Paul for several years, a justice of peace and deputy sheriff.

Besides his wife, Hilda, he leaves a son, Howard, of Munising; a daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Weber, of Iron Mountain; brother, Robert, of Lake Charles, La.; sister, Mrs. Louise Becker, of Fern-dale, Mich.; 13 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The body was taken to Beaulieu's funeral home. Burial arrangements will be announced later.

Children's Fund Dentist Resigns

Iron Mountain, Mich.—Dr. Theodore Fornetti, Iron Mountain dentist who for over a year has represented, in Dickinson county, the Michigan Children's Fund, has announced that he will resign from the organization and begin a private practice in Iron Mountain, Dr. K. R. Gibson, of Detroit, Michigan Fund official, said today in a letter to Joseph Walsh, county school superintendent.

Germfask

Christmas Program — The following Christmas program was presented at the Community Hall Thursday evening by the local school children under the direction of teachers, Ruth Parsons, Beatrice Thorley, Doris Morrison, Ruth Brow, and Christine Peters:

- Welcome, Anita McEachern
- A Christmas Story
- Getting Ready for Santa
- Do Not Open Until Christmas
- Santa Claus Is Coming to Town
- Kindergarten and 1st grades.
- A Christmas Carol
- Christmas Morn
- A Christmas Art
- Christmas Lesson (play) — Second and third grades.
- A Surprise, Dawn Tovey
- A Rest for Santa Claus
- The Mistakes of Santa Claus
- Snow Kisses
- Who Can Tell—Fourth and Fifth grades.
- Mrs. Santa Claus—Barbara Swisher
- Christmas Crazy Class, play
- Writing to Santa Claus, Clifford Amore.—Sixth and Seventh grades.
- Operetta, The Shepherd's Christmas
- Cast: Shepherd Boys, John Doran, Bruce Burns, Raymond Wilcox, Angel, Sally Harris, Joanne, Mary Lawrence, Horace, Gerald Lytle, Donna, Yvonne King, Mary, Dawn Losey, Joseph, John Whitcomb, Wise Men, Richard Smart, Vernon Wilcox and Ralph Wilcox.

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Powers

Powers, Mich.—Wallie Peterson, who attends Michigan State at East Lansing, was home for the holidays.

Miss Gwendolyn Bagley, an instructor in the school system at Midland, Mich., is spending the Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bagley, of Wilson.

Gift baskets were delivered to twenty-one veterans of World War I and II, at Pinecrest, before Christmas, by a committee of American Legion Auxiliary members. This gift giving was sponsored by the Menominee county council, Tony Revord Post of Powers; Carney-Nadeau Post and its auxiliary; and Leo Floriano Post of Hermansville. Contributions were also received from the "Gifts For Yanks" drive, sponsored by the Tony Revord Post in Powers-Spalding.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris left Friday afternoon for Des Moines, Iowa, called by the death of the latter's father, the late Mr. R. Johansen.

Miss Lysle Hutton of Chicago is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hutton during the holidays.

Mrs. Charlotte Nelson of Wilson, left recently to visit her daughter, Mrs. William Preacher in California.

Allen Williams of Chicago visited at the parental home in Spalding over Christmas.

Mrs. Tom Lawrence, who has been confined to her home by illness is improving very slowly. Her daughter, Mrs. Wallie Newman, R. N., came from Chicago to be with her mother during her illness.

Bob McKerral of Escanaba, spent Christmas eve with friends here and assisted the choir in its midnight mass singing at St. Francis Xavier's church.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher of Hermansville are visiting with relatives in Lansing for several weeks.

Miss Isabel Williams and Miss Eunice Bryon of Flint were home for the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence King are the parents of a daughter, born Dec. 23 at St. Francis hospital in Escanaba.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moors and Son Paul of Green Bay, spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Moors' mother, Mrs. N. Peterson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Percifield of Milwaukee spent the Christmas weekend at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Ed (Happy) Hakes, jr. Mrs. Percifield is the former Dorothy Schoen of Wilson.

Mrs. Earl Kell jr., and sister Miss Edythe Sharp of Menominee spent Christmas day at the Earl Kell home in Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. William DeNell and daughter of Green Bay spent the holiday weekend at the F. D. Wells home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osier and family and Mrs. Clara Bagley spent Christmas at the Roy Laing home in Iron Mountain.

Miss Mary Osier, who is the home economics instructor in the East Jordan school system came home to spend the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osier.

Mr. and Mrs. William Graw and daughter Stella, spent Sunday at the Fred Desmaris home in Iron Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hauser of Grand Rapids spent the holiday weekend at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Girard.

Miss Carrie Peterson of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson of Marquette were guests at the N. Peterson home for the holidays.

F. B. McGUIGAN IS APPOINTED

Potter Names St. Joe Senior To U. S. Naval Academy

Frederick Bruce McGuigan, Route 1, Gladstone, a senior student in St. Joseph's parochial high school, Escanaba, has received an appointment to the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., from Representative Charles E. Potter of Michigan's Eleventh Congressional district.

Others whom Potter appointed to Annapolis are John Joseph Foley, jr., 1509 State street, Menominee, a graduate of Menominee high school, 1947, and currently a student at Marquette university in Milwaukee; Herbert Murray Burridge, 1051 Sheridan road, Menominee, a Menominee high school senior, and Marlow Ryan Ladd, who was graduated from the Sault Ste. Marie high school last spring.

"Three alternate candidates are to be selected for each of these principal appointments," Mr. Potter said. "The Naval Academy's mental examinations will be held April 21, 1947, and if any young man, either a senior in high school or now attending college, is interested in competing, I would be very glad to hear from him."

"A candidate must not be less than 17 years of age nor more than 21 on April 1, 1948. If a veteran with one year's service, however, he may be 22 or 23 years of age."

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West Side Sewing Club — Mrs. Leo Pokela was hostess to the West Side Sewing Club at her home December 18. Mrs. Art Haapala will entertain the club Jan. 22.

Celebrates 77th Birthday — Mrs. John Kallio will celebrate her 77th birthday New Year's Day at a family gathering at her home.

Kallio-Robare Wedding — Church services will be held at 2:15 Sunday afternoon Jan. 4 by the Rev. Armi Maki of Marquette at the Finnish National Lutheran church of Chatham.

Engagement Announced — Mr. and Mrs. Knute Lindquist of Chatham, announce the engagement of their daughter Gladys Irene to Eric William Palo, son of Mrs. John Palo, Crystal Falls. No definite date has been set for the wedding.

Personals — Mr. and Mrs. Peter Huttler and children, Donald, Carol, and Roy of Big Bay and Miss Myrtle Johnson of Ishpeming visited Mr. and Mrs. George Levis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Barber were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Villemure of Escanaba, Christmas Day.

Misses Cecile and Marie Zeno visited in Munising Monday.

Mrs. Arvid Hill visited Mr. Arvid Hill, who is a patient in the Munising hospital, where he is

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Karney, Johnson Families Joyous After Air Rescue

Iron River, Mich.—There was grateful rejoicing in two Iron River homes Saturday over the rescue of Lt. Chester M. Karney and eight other army airmen from a remote Labrador lake where they crash-landed in their Flying Fortress Christmas Eve.

The homes were those of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Karney, Morrison lake, and of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, Ice lake, parents of Lt. Karney and his wife, the former Charlotte Johnson, who sat anxiously beside her radio at Narsarsuaq, the Greenland air base which has been their home since she joined her pilot husband in time for Christmas, 1946.

The fliers were safe at Goose Bay, Labrador, late Saturday after they were rescued by a plane which glided in on a ski-landing gear. The rescue plane, equipped with skis instead of wheels, and carrying portable jet-propulsion apparatus to assist in the take-off from the small ice-and-snow-covered lake, picked up the seven crew members and two passengers and flew them 260 miles into Goose Bay to the south.

For Lt. Karney, the mishap was his first accident. He served on 35 missions in the European theater during the war and was over Germany six times, Paris six times, and over other Nazi-held strongholds with his bombing squadron. He emerged from the combat missions without a scratch.

The B-17 which was forced down Christmas Eve was a "Flying Santa Claus" transport plane on a mercy mission to drop mail and supplies to isolated Greenland settlements. The plane alighted on Lake Asray at midnight Tuesday and the marooned airmen were not located until 24 hours later, and then only after a 400,000 square mile search by planes from Newfoundland and the U. S. base at Goose Bay, Labrador.

confined with a badly bruised leg suffered in a logging accident last week.

Miss Elsie Laitinen of Portland, Oregon, was the guest of the George Levis family for two days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. O'Leary and son Joe and Johnny of Cleveland, Ohio, who are guests at the John Appala home at Eben, visited at the Larry Barber home Sunday evening.

Donald Sandstrom cut his foot with an axe while chopping down a Christmas tree a few days before Christmas. Ten stitches were required to close the laceration.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Barber made a business trip to Marquette Tuesday.

Mrs. Srja Matla of Detroit who spent several days during the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Palonen, left Saturday for Detroit.

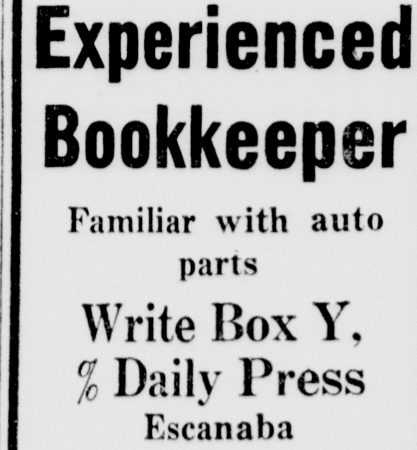
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COUNTY HAS 14 TRAFFIC DEATHS

Highway fatalities In Delta Total Four Above 1946

Traffic fatalities in Delta county totaled 14 last year, an increase of four over the total deaths on streets and highways in the county in 1946, it was revealed today in records kept by the Gladstone post of the Michigan state police.

The last traffic death of 1947 was on Nov. 17, and the year ended without further fatalities despite hazardous conditions that prevailed during the holiday season. Motorists and pedestrians were either lucky or more cautious during the last 42 days of 1947, compared with the number of traffic deaths that occurred earlier in the year.

The 14 deaths in 1947, however, sets a new high for the county for the period of the war and the two postwar peacetime years. A summary of the Delta county traffic toll for the past five years is as follows:

Year	Deaths
1943	11
1944	8
1945	9
1946	10
1947	14

The year 1947 started off badly with two men fatally injured near Rapid River on Jan. 2. The toll continued to increase as the year advanced. There was one killed Feb. 8; three March 9; one July 21; one July 27; one Sept. 21; two Oct. 5; one Oct. 14; one Nov. 14, and one Nov. 17.

There was one unsolved hit-and-run traffic death in Escanaba this year. On Oct. 14 a speeding car struck and fatally injured a young child on M-35 (Twenty-third street) who later died Nov. 7. The identity of the car driver was never discovered by officers.

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Cochran Reelected By Federal Reserve

Minneapolis, Minn.—W. D. Cochran, proprietor of W. D. Cochran Freight Lines, Iron Mountain, Mich., has been re-designated deputy chairman of the board of directors of the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis for the year 1948. Appointment was made by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. Mr. Cochran's present three-year term as Class C director of the Minneapolis Reserve Bank ends Dec. 31, 1949.

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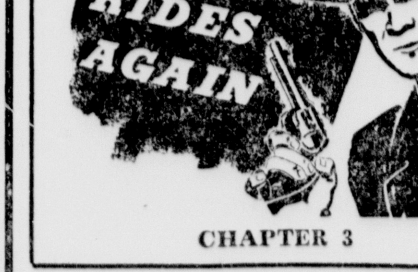


HIT NO. 2—MYSTERY The PRETENDER



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STARTS—SUNDAY Franchot Tone - Lucille Ball IN "Her Husband's Affairs"

EUGENE G. DAY IS PENSIONED

Former Escanaban Was
Chief Engineer Of
LS&I Railway

Eugene G. Day, formerly of Escanaba and for the past 11 years chief engineer of the Lake Superior & Ishpeming Railroad company at Marquette, retired on Thursday after 40 years of railway service. He has been succeeded by Sverre Thor Valdsen of Detroit.

Mr. Day was born in Starks, Maine, and attended schools in Madison, Maine, preparatory to entering the University of Maine. He was graduated from the university with a degree in civil engineering in 1904, and obtained his first employment with the Maine-Central railroad company.

He went to Nova Scotia for one summer, and was engineer in the construction of a street car line there. For one year he was foreman for coal mines in southern Illinois. He returned to railroad work and spent two years with the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad company.

In 1909 he entered the employ of the Chicago & North Western railroad company, and remained with it for 28 years. During that time he served in Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Iowa, North Dakota and South Dakota.

On Jan. 1, 1937, he went to Marquette as chief engineer for the L. S. & I., a position he held exactly 11 years.

Mr. Day will continue to reside in Marquette.

Mr. Valdsen, born in 1899 in Kristiansand, Norway, received his technical education at Christiana, now Oslo, technical school, which is similar to an American college. He was graduated in 1920 and came to the United States in that year.

Fayette

Family Gatherings

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pizzala Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watchorn and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watchorn and family, Mrs. Catherine Watchorn and son Robert, Miss Leda Gierke, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Rasmussen and son Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Watchorn and daughter Audrey of Isabella were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fagan.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Greene entertained Mr. and Mrs. Roland Boudreau and family of Garden, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Molinere and son of Escanaba, Miss Ruth Greene and Donald Greene of Detroit, on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and family of Manistique were Christmas day visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Hector Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Caswell of Rapid River were overnight guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thill, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sefcik and children and Wm. Follo Jr. of Detroit spent the holidays with their parents Mrs. Follo leaving with them for a visit.

Friends of Loretta Thill were entertained at her home Monday evening to celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Devet enjoyed a visit from their daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Larson and son Dickie of Milwaukee during the holidays.

Accident

Jimmy Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Collins was taken to the St. Francis hospital Saturday evening to be a patient for ten days due to injuries received while on a coasting party. Several stitches were required to close cuts about the head and internal injuries were also received.

Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith and Larry spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Escanaba.

Wellman Mohondro is spending a week with friends in Houghton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swanson and Alfred Jr. have returned to their home here after spending

Obituary

TELEPHONE ST. PIERRE

Funeral services for Telephone St. Pierre were held at 9:30 this morning at St. Joseph's church, with Rev. Fr. Francis Gimski, pastor of St. Michael's church of Perreenville, celebrant of the requiem high mass. Burial was in Gardens of Rest cemetery.

St. Joseph's choir sang the music of the mass with Mrs. Elbridge Baker, soloist of the mass. At the offertory, Mrs. Raymond Olson sang "Domine Jesu Christe" and at the close of the service, Miss Belle Bodette sang "O Christe Salvator Mundi." Miss Eva Cossette was organist.

Pallbearers were Axel Luc-March, Louis Roberts, John Luc-March, Ed Taylor, Leonard Winling and Ralph Skinner.

Those at the funeral included Lionel St. Pierre, Washington, D. C.; Chief Gunner's Mate George St. Pierre, San Diego; and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Skinner, Buchanan, Mich.

NEW SYSTEM FOR CARRIERS

Press Replaces Cards
With Receipt
Slips

As the result of a change, effective Jan. 3 in the Escanaba Daily Press' carrier collecting system, small receipt slips—instead of the collection cards previously issued by carriers—will be given to customers upon payment. This will eliminate the customers keeping track of the collection-card now in use. Carriers will, however, continue to collect on a weekly basis, as before.

A disadvantage of the collection-card method was that in many cases the carrier failed to carry his punch and often inadvertently ripped the card while trying to tear a hole in it with his fingers, or else failed to punch the customer's card at all and often collected without his corresponding record card. Confusion will thus be eliminated and general relations between customer and carrier improved.

The system, new in this area, has been in use for many years by other newspapers, small and large, such as the Des Moines Register and Tribune, Des Moines, Iowa; Star Journal and Tribune, Minneapolis; Duluth News-Tribune, Duluth; Merrill Daily Herald, Merrill, Wis.; and The Iron Mountain News, Iron Mountain.

It is pointed out that customers, under the new plan, should retain their receipts for the most recent weeks. Often customers discard the receipt tickets which, once torn from the carrier's collection-record route sheet, cannot be replaced.

two weeks in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Tallman and Mr. and Mrs. E. Tallman left Wednesday to spend the holidays with relatives in Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

MUCH GAMBLING IN SUNNY MIAMI

2 Syndicates Control
Racket In Resort
Community

BY ROBERT C. RUARK

Miami—The big business of gambling, which I understand is illegal, is about as tricky and involved here as gambling can get, which is pretty tricky and involved.

Two local syndicates run things in Miami, Miami Beach and in adjoining Dade county. The northern mob—The Costello - Frischetti - Kastel-late Buggy Seigal outfit—holds forth in Broward county, notably in the Colonial Inn. There are scores of joints in Broward, whose Sheriff Walter Clark is supposed to be a millionaire. Mr. Clark was yanked once, by the governor, but the people voted him right back in.

You can't buck a crap game or take a mild crack at the wheel on Miami Beach, until you pass out of the corporate limits and get into Surfside. This takes the heat off the Miami Beach coppers, who go along blissfully unaware of the bookie activity on the law-abiding beach.

Bookie in Every Hotel
Each beach hotel has its bookie, who pays sometimes more than \$10,000 a season for the privilege of operating openly and exclusively in the lobbies. It is really humanitarian, since it allows the visiting sun-worshiper to risk a few bob on a nag without going to all the trouble of riding out to Gulfstream or Hialeah. If they come back broke, they at least come back sunbaked.

The big syndicate underwrites the bookmaking both on the beach and in the city. It buys the protection, coppers the heavy losses, and keeps everything neat and business-like. I am not the man to say that there are any dishonest politicians in these parts, but the lowest-case handbooks on the beach start their day by writing \$28 for protection at the top of the ledger. This amount increases according to the magnitude of the play.

The bookies operate openly. Some get arrested every day, fined, and turned loose to go and in no more, until the next day. Their fine actually amounts to a license. They tell me that in Miami proper, one gambler has a record of more than 60 arrests

without a single day's roost in the brig.

Vagrants Not Allowed

Of course, Miami shudders at the idea that its flowered streets should be cluttered with hoodlums during the big season. To keep the place as pure as can be, a special squad composed of three retired dicks and three strong-armed cops prowls the precincts, with a sharp eye peeled for undesirables. They are armed with Miami's impregnable vagrancy ordinance, which has enough teeth in it to dub young Henry Ford a vagrant and pull him out of the limousine, it such was the desire.

As I said earlier, this is no indignant expose. Neither politician nor taxpayer tries to hide Miami's illicit gambling from the casual eye. If anybody is indignant, it's the chump who tries to whip the blackjack game.

Bark River

Bark River, Mich.—Miss Theresa Gauthier, student nurse at St. Joseph's hospital nursing school of Bloomington, Ill., is spending her holiday vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gauthier.

Miss Rose Gaudrault of Newberry is visiting at the home of her brother, Joseph, Gaudrault.

Ray Teal of Chicago spent the Christmas holidays at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bruce and family of Marquette are visiting at the Helmer Bruce home.

Leonard Wickstrom has returned to his home here for the winter after employment on the Great Lakes during the past season.

Holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Couillard included, Henry C. Couillard, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Yagodzinski and Nancy and James Erickson all of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Anderson and Miss Hannah Anderson have left for Hazelhurst, Wis., to attend the funeral of their brother, Jack Bergman who attends the University of Michigan and Dan

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J. J. Foley Speaks At Rock Telephone Exchange Opening

Mich. Mich.—"Opening of the new Rock telephone exchange is another milestone in the Michigan Bell Telephone company's \$13,500,000 rural expansion and improvement program," J. J. Foley, telephone company executive, said here Tuesday during cutover ceremonies inaugurating the start of up-to-date automatic 'phone service in this area.

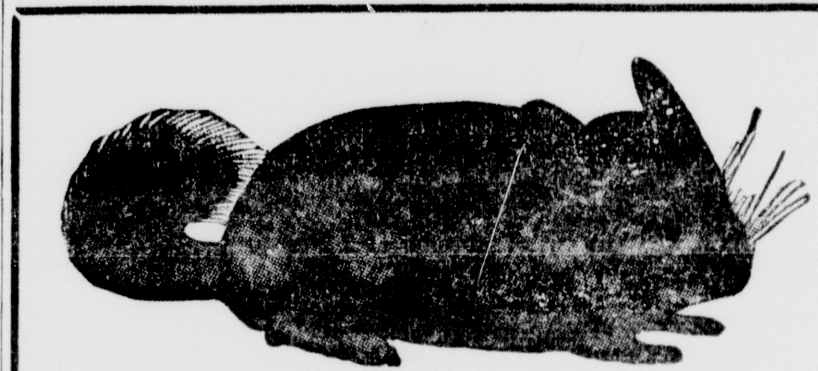
"The Rock exchange is another link in Michigan's communications network," he continued. "Our rural coverage reached an all-time high in 1946 of 57 per cent of all rural homes and businesses in Michigan Bell territory."

"Our lines are now within reach of an additional 23 per cent, who now can obtain service at no extra charge because of increased free construction allowances. That adds up to 85 per cent of all homes and businesses in our territory—and we're still going strong, as evidenced by the new Rock exchange here."

Eighty 'phones are installed in Rock. Foley predicted there would be many more soon.

The executive also explained in some detail the amount of work required to put such an exchange in operation. The telephone itself, he pointed out, "is only about six per cent of the total apparatus re-

Bergman of Houghton Tech are spending their vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bergman.



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Isabella

Lutheran Aid Meeting

Isabella, Mich. — A special meeting of business and election of officers were held at the Lutheran church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Beda Sundin re-elected president; Mrs. Ellen Gro-leau, secretary; Mrs. Ruth Sundin, treasurer; Mrs. Nick Bonifas, flower fund; Mrs. Signe Bonifas, Mrs. Agnes Forland and Mrs. Adelaide Segerstrom, sick committee.

Services On Sunday

There will be services Sunday, Jan. 4 in the Lutheran church at 2:30. After services coffee and lunch will be served. Friends welcome.

Personals

Mrs. Ed Olsen was admitted to St. Francis hospital for X-ray treatments Sunday.

Miss Gloria Bonifas returned to the Grand hospital at Chicago Monday after having spent a week

quired. Eighty telephones require about 2,000 different inter-connections.

"The total expenditure was \$25,000, or an investment of more than \$300 per telephone," he said.

"Originally, service is being furnished only to those who live in the village of Rock and those residents along M-35 where the telephone pole lead is in place," Foley pointed out.

"We hope that materials and equipment soon will be available to provide service to others within the Rock exchange area which covers 197 square miles extending from US-41 to the Escanaba river and from two miles north of McFarland to a mile south of Trombley."

at her parental home.

Visitors at the William Venette home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson and family, Engadine; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jerow Escanaba; Mr. and Mrs. Toney Deloria, Nohma.

Billie Billigans of Detroit spent mas day at the Nick Bonifas home enroute to Lake Linden.

Mrs. Billie Morrison and daughters of Chicago are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Turan.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderson of Manistique spent Sunday with their niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson.

Frank Wester who has been visiting with Felix Peterson and family at Oregon returned to his home to spend the holidays.

Mrs. George Mayeau returned to her home at Corrine, Mich., following the Xmas holidays spent with her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nedean.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Segerstrom and family returned to their home at Ontonagon Sunday having spent the Xmas week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Algot Segerstrom.

Miss Betty Landis returned to Chicago Sunday after spending the

Christmas holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jake Landis.

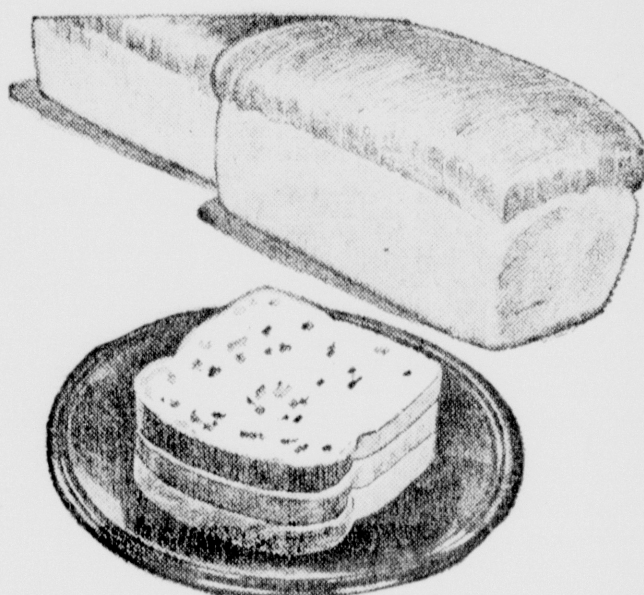
Mr. and Mrs. John Moberg accompanied by Merigold Sundin motored to Milwaukee and Green Bay Thursday on their return trip they spent the night with the Spitzer family at Menominee. They returned to their home Friday evening. Elenor Spitzer returned to spend a week with Merigold Sundin.

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Loyalty Review

THE Federal Loyalty Review board, which has the task of ferreting out subversive influences in the federal employment rolls, has emphasized that it will not permit the loyalty investigation program from developing into a "witch hunt." This is encouraging to those who have been fearful that civil rights of federal employees would be disregarded by the loyalty board.

The board has announced that employees accused of disloyalty will be granted the right to know the facts relating to the charges against them as far as security regulations will permit. In instances where security regulations prevent the revelation of the facts relating to charges against employees, the board will decide whether the lack of this information actually has handicapped the defense in presenting its case.

Defendants will not have the privilege of cross examining source witnesses, principally because such a regulation would make it all but impossible for the FBI to conduct effective investigations regarding the loyalty of suspected employees.

Acts and not opinions will be the determining factor in deciding whether an employee should be dismissed for disloyalty. In other words, an employee may be a left-wing thinker but unless he actually has acted singly or in concert with others in subversive activity, he will not be dismissed for disloyalty.

Naturally, any person holding allegiance to a foreign government or who advocates the use of force to effect a change in our present system of government will be classified as disloyal and will be subject to prompt dismissal.

The board's statement of policy seems to indicate that the rights of federal employees will be protected but that disloyal employees will be removed from their jobs in the public interest.

King Mihai Abdicates

KING MIHAI of Romania has abdicated his throne, with an announcement that he would not stand in the way of his people's desire to form a government of their own choosing.

We hold no brief for Mihai or for the Romanian monarchy which, under Mihai's father, King Carol, leeches the Romanians out of great wealth, but when Mihai says he is abdicating so that the people can form their own government, he is talking through his hat—or through his crown, regally speaking.

The Romanian people will have no choice in their new government which, in truth, will not be a new government at all. It will be the same old Communist government that has ruled the country since the Bolsheviks took over after the war. In fact, the king's abdication undoubtedly was forced upon him by the Communist regime.

Following Mihai's abdication the Romanian government declared Romania a "popular democratic republic." This is the expression used so frequently by the Communists to express their type of government, which is not democracy at all but dictatorship in its most cruel and ruthless form.

Washington English

WHEN President Truman was a senator, he got some good training in deciphering involved English. Like all congressmen, he had to read a lot of bills, and he must have reached the point where he could ferret the sense out of their maze of language without much trouble.

So he probably understood the latest report of his Council of Economic Advisers. But it's a safe bet that a lot of his fellow citizens didn't—even though Washington reporters took pains to spell out its meaning in their news stories. And that is a pity for the Council has something interesting to say on an important subject.

The three-man board has been studying inflation and high prices, and figuring out how they can be checked. The learned gentlemen seem to have done some sound and clear thinking. But when they came to put thoughts into words, the clarity vanished. Perhaps they feel, as many do, that the reader won't believe they take their work seriously if they write their opinions in simple sentences.

The council's report wasn't nearly as fog-bound as a lot of Washington English. But it wasn't something to make a man with the grocery-bill blues yell, "Hey, look, here's a cure for high prices."

Instead, the Council gave us things like this: More and more production "will simply advance the time when we shall have to face the problem of what price, income, and property value adjustments have to be made to strike an internally consistent or stable equilibrium." And, "It seems clear that in reaching this equilibrium many in-

dustrial prices must come down at least in relation to other prices."

We got hung up on that one, as a good many other readers must have. What is the difference between industrial prices coming down and coming down at least in relation to other prices? Don't they come down in either case? Does it mean that industrial prices must come down while non-industrial prices stay up? Or vice versa? Or what?

"Many rates of profits must subside," says the report, "while reasonable profitability is established in other areas." We take that to mean that some companies' or industries' profits are too big, and others' too small—so something should be done to lower the first group's profit rates and raise those of the second. We guess that's it, but we aren't sure.

Now try this one for size: "Maintenance of a state of production, once it has been reached, is absolutely inconsistent with the use of monopolistic control to enact for any organization or unit a more favorable distributive position than would be meted out to it by a system of completely fluid competition." We gather that the Council is against monopolies.

The report stresses that competition is still the life of trade. But it takes a long windup before it pitches the point: "In any composite of salutary policies, none is so significant as the achievement and maintenance of real price competition"—only now do we get it in plain language—"which means the lowest price consistent with a fair return in a stable economy rather than the highest price that the traffic will bear in an unstable economy."

Of course we must realize that this report is largely for the guidance of Mr. Truman, who is an expert in such things. So we shall probably hear the understandable gist of it in several campaign speeches later on. But we still wish that this government, of by, and for the people would make it a rule to use language that most of the people can understand.

U Saw, The Traitor

U SAW, premier of Burma when war broke out in the Pacific in 1941, has been sentenced to death by a special Burmese tribunal. U Saw was the quelling of Burma, although his execution has been ordered for complicity in the murder of Burmese cabinet officers last summer and not for his role as a collaborator with the Japanese.

U Saw was removed from office by the British during the war on charges of collaboration with the enemy but escaped punishment for that crime against his people, whom he helped deliver to the Japs. He was promptly arrested after the machine-gun murder of seven Burmese cabinet officers in the council chamber in Rangoon last July 19 and was convicted this week of complicity in that crime.

The execution of U Saw will write one more name off the list of traitors who sold out their country in wartime for personal gain.

Other Editorial Comments

SCHOOL TAX REFERENDUM (Menominee Herald-Leader)

The Michigan Education Association announces that it will circulate petitions for a referendum to change the state constitution to permit increase of school taxes by a simple majority instead of two-thirds vote, and for a 15 year period, instead of a five year period as at present. The changes are sought because of the need for school building funds. Menominee, Stephenson, Daggett, Nadeau township and Powers-Spalding school districts are all collecting school taxes for building purposes above the 15-mill limitation and Faithorn is collecting extra taxes for current operating expenses. These extra taxes have been authorized by voters under the two-thirds majority, five year limit rule. Only the Harris-Bark River district locally has rejected school tax increase for building purposes. The Herald-Leader believes that the voters will be wise to retain the present limitations on school taxes; they are a curb on too-easy spending; they permit tax increases and renewals at five year periods when a clear majority of the voters approve. The all-but unanimously successful efforts to exceed the present limitations in Menominee county attest their reasonableness. Farmers will remember in 1932, the year Michigan enacted the 15-mill tax limitation which the MEA now proposes to weaken, one-tenth of all the land in Michigan was tax delinquent.

Take My Word For It . . . Frank Colby

SECRETARY'S HANDBOOK

Q. Should one use a period or a question mark after request? For example: Will you please send us your list.
Will you reply as soon as possible.

A. "Will you, . . ." asks a question. Such sentences should be followed by a question mark, not a period. Some secretary's handbooks prefer the period; but they confuse "You will please, . . ." with "Will you please, . . ." The first is declarative, and calls for a period. The second is interrogative, and calls for a question mark.

Q. I was taught that "same" is an adjective, and should not be used as a noun. But my boss repeatedly dictates: "Kindly forward same to the factory." etc. What should I do about him?—L. H. B.

A. Ask him to read this column. The College Handbook of Composition (Woolley and Scott) stigmatizes "same" (the noun) as a "vulgarism characteristic of ill-educated writers and writers without good

World Events Analyzed

BY THOMAS L. STOKES

Washington.—It is an uncomfortable experience to read the tortuous and involved statement by Seth W. Richardson, chairman of the loyalty review board, detailing the intricate mechanism of the new system for searching out "disloyal" government employees.

It is like an apologetic preamble to a police state.

Most disturbing of all—and this is the key—is the groveling to the Federal Bureau of Investigation in yielding to its insistence that the accused be not permitted to face his accusers which, as we have always understood it, is a cardinal principle of our Anglo-Saxon legal heritage. This condescension to a police agency, so distasteful to us as a people, aroused misgivings in Mr. Richardson, as he revealed in this statement:

"The point has been vigorously presented to us as follows: 'Every employee accused of disloyalty should be given the right to confront his accusers, and subject them to cross-examination.' This contention has obvious force, and presents grave considerations to us. Why have we been unable to accept it?"

SHOULD BE ABANDONED

The answer is simply that the FBI did not want it done that way. Its explanation was that few of its sources would remain available if they were not kept confidential. Mr. Richardson further confessed his doubts about this surrender of basic principle, as follows:

"So seriously is such a situation that it has been strongly urged upon us by responsible persons, that, rather than permit such a situation to exist, the entire loyalty program should be abandoned, even if the government be compelled to cease attempting to screen out its disloyal employees."

It would not seem that the choice lies between those extremes only, an all-or-nothing proposition; but, if it did, the responsible persons certainly had a strong point. Yet Mr. Richardson and the loyalty review board simply folded their hands and bowed to the FBI.

An analysis will show just what this means, and the danger. The FBI is not the government—at least not yet, we hope. It is merely an arm or agency of the government. Yet in this instance what happened was that the government took its orders from the FBI, its own police agency. The civilian government abdicated to the police arm of government, which is contrary to our traditions.

That comes mighty close to a police state. If the FBI has assumed such a commanding role in our government, then we had better stop and consider. If the same thing happened in our own city, if the police department assumed such authority, we would be disturbed, and soon.

COMMUNISM "SCARE"

This indicates how far we have come by successive steps in retreating before the Communism "scare" that has been promoted by certain interests. Now we have blown up a Frankenstein whose big and far-reaching tentacles are revealed in Mr. Richardson's sprawling apology.

The quarry is getting more and more numerous. Every government employee now is included. Even those who shout loudest know that their wolf-cries about Communists in government is poppycock. An efficient investigating agency could find out the few, if any, who actually might be dangerous to national security without all the shennanigans we now are witnessing.

But that, of course, would not suit the aims of the promoters of this current inquisition. They want the appearance of something sinister for one or both of two purposes: Either to discredit the present administration, or to drive out of government those who might have ideas about social and economic welfare programs that would infringe on private, selfish interests. This is indicated now by the latest variation, which is to extend the network to "fellow travelers," as they call them, a sweeping term that could mean anything you wanted it to mean.

It all has the tone of a medieval monograph on witchcraft and its detection

taste" (that ought to fix him!).

Q. Is "women voters" ever correct? Seems to me it should be "woman voters."—S. C.

A. According to Merriam Webster's, the plural "women" is customary with a plural noun. Hence: women voters, women students, women employees, etc. In names of organizations, both singular and plural forms are used: Women's Christian Temperance Union. Women's Army Corps, etc. It seems to be largely a matter of choice.

Q. How would you write 1948 in Roman numerals? We need it for an inscription on a plaque.—J. R.

A. M is 1000; CM is 900; XLVIII is 48; therefore, MCMXLVIII.

Today's Vocabulary Item

The word allocation means an allotment or apportionment. Government allocation is the buying up of a basic commodity, say wheat, at a fixed price and selling it at a fixed price to domestic and foreign consumers. It is designed to effect better distribution, and to keep prices down. Pronounce it: AL-uh-KAY'shun; also: AL-oh-KAY'shun.

Which would you say: She likes to hear (me? my?) singing; he has had one (years? year's) experience? Such tricky constructions are quickly solved by the simple key in Mr. Colby's POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS pamphlet, 7-16.

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Caught in a Tight Labor Market



Good Evening

By Clint Dunathan

THE WOLVERINE—Because Michigan is known as the Wolverine state and because George Springer is a good friend of every writer, we recently received from



Dunathan

The clipping is from the Minneapolis Times and is a story by Ed Franey, the Times' outdoor editor, who reports that the Wisconsin conservation department is interested in determining whether an animal killed in Minnesota last fall was a wolverine. The last wolverine in Minnesota was reported killed back in 1923 and they were presumed to have become extinct in that state.

HE NEVER WAS—In a note accompanying the clipping, George Springer advises that he will keep us informed on further developments in Minnesota's effort to find out whether that state still harbors the wolverine—the largest and most vicious member of the weasel family.

And then we received a news release from the Michigan department of conservation that surprised us, for it said "that the wolverine, giant of the weasel family, is not known to have lived in Michigan."

Authority for the statement is Dr. G. W. Bradt of the conservation department's game division. The story of the wolverine is included in a booklet, along with other facts about Michigan wildlife, that will be distributed to schools free and will also be offered for sale to the public. We have no reason to doubt that Dr. Bradt knows what he is writing about. But we do feel a sense of loss when he shatters our firm belief that Michigan once had large numbers of wolverine.

THE OLD STORIES—It is probable that the fiction about the wolverine in Michigan is like so many other legends of pioneer days.

Early settlers, according to the oldtimers who recall such things, lived in fear not only of the Indians but of many equally wild animals that inhabited the trackless forests.

There were the wolves, the wild cats, the panther or northern cougar—all described as ferocious creatures that lurked in the woods waiting for some hapless settler to stray into their clutches. Despite these stories, however, authorities are still looking for an authenticated instance in which a wolf killed a man, or in which a wild cat jumped out of a tree on the back of an unsuspecting settler. And the northern cougar or panther? The stories about him are enough to make your hair stand on end, but they are legend rather than facts.

IN EVERY LAND—

The stories passed down from father to son about the ferocity of animals that lived in Michigan in the early days include the classic about tossing things out of a sleigh to appease the wolf pack. In Russia the story has the pleasant father throwing the children to the wolves, one by one. In Michigan the story we heard was of the driver who was taking a sleighload of beef to a lumber camp. The driver had not gone far

INTO THE PAST

Ten Years Ago

Escanaba.—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Doucette are the parents of a son born Dec. 26.

Escanaba.—John Andrews of this city, who attends Ferris Institute in Big Rapids, is confined to Community hospital there.

Munising.—Miss Leona Trotter, of Lansing, who is employed in the department of the secretary of state, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Trotter.

Manistique.—Mr. and Mrs. Burr Passenheim have left to return to Boston after visiting with Mr. Passenheim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Passenheim.

Gladstone.—Louis Cole has returned to Nestoria, Mich., where he is employed, after visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cole.

Twenty Years Ago

Escanaba.—Miss Helen Henderson, superintendent of music in the public schools in Rhinelander, Wis., will return Monday after a holiday visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Henderson, her parents.

Rapid River.—The Misses Mary Lind, Exilda Boyer and Dorothy Girlich have left to return to their duties in the hospital at Elgin, Ill.

Engadine.—Miss Irene Merrick is returning tomorrow to Mt. Pleasant to resume her college work.

Manistique.—Dr. and Mrs. S. Stevens have returned from a two week trip in Lower Michigan.

when a pack of wolves began howling in pursuit. Whipping the team into a frantic run the driver saw the wolves gaining steadily, their drooping mouths opened wide to reveal the gleaming fangs. Thinking of the sides of frozen beef on the sleigh the driver pushed one off. The wolf pack halted long enough to strip the meat from it and then resumed the chase. Another side of beef, another delay. This was repeated until the last side of beef was thrown out—just in time to save the driver who was now within sight of the camp.

FEROCIOUS CREATURE—All of the stories and legends of the wolverine describe him as a ferocious creature, feared by other beasts as well as man.

In appearance the wolverine resembled a large mink, although stockier, and its fur was "of a blackish, deep dusky brown color," with two broad bands on its sides of "a chestnut or yellowish brown, or even fading to a dingy brownish white." It had strong jaws, its face was round with small round ears set high on the head, and its feet were equipped with sharp claws. The tail resembled that of the badger and was covered with long, coarse hair. Its weight was upwards of 60 pounds.

The wolverine to this day carries the reputation of being a fighter capable of ripping packs of dogs to pieces or leaping on a deer and killing it by clinging to its throat.

Perhaps Michiganders were better story tellers than settlers in other states, for Michigan became known as the wolverine state—although the animal was never known to have lived within its boundaries.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

Naples. (By Wireless).—In France, a lot of people on New Year's Day didn't say "Happy New Year." They said: "Here's hoping you don't have any worse year than last year." In other words, they don't expect things to get any better. They have lost hope.

As we begin the year 1948 the big problem is to prevent that year from becoming another 1939. War is easy to start when men lose hope. When they have nothing to lose they take desperate gambles. One big problem now facing the world, therefore, is to restore men's hope. Another is to persuade people that they must work just as hard to win the peace as they did to win victory in war.

When war strikes, Congress throws economy to the winds. Money is voted in a hand-over-fist manner. People work long hours, pay heavy taxes, put up with all kinds of sacrifices. Then, when the war is won, Congress immediately begins whittling down all important instruments for winning the peace. The state department, just as important to peace as the Army and Navy are to war, gets its budget pruned instead of increased. Even the few paltry dollars spent to tell European newspapers about the United States are pared away by nicker-nursing congressmen and then, having chopped away all our instruments for keeping the peace we pretend to be surprised when a few years later, we find ourselves at war.

They have been trying to make us forget now about the votes cast against building defenses for Guam and have been trying to make their constituents back home forget the fact that now they have been sabotaging our defenses for peace—defenses which are just as important, perhaps more so than Guam. And if 1948 or the years immediately following should bring war, then the debates on the state department's budget and on interim aid for Europe and on the Marshall plan will be adjudged just as important cornerstones for defense as the pre-Pearl Harbor votes of Minnesota's Knutson and New York's Ham Fish and all the others who tried to obstruct wartime preparation of the United States.

But entirely aside from these U. S. governmental attempts to wage the battle for peace, I am convinced that the American people are frequently ahead of their government in believing that we must work just as hard to build for peace as we did to win the war. The letters I have received from readers, the talks I have had in different parts of the country and, especially, the reaction to the Friendship Train all indicate this to be the fact.

EUROPEAN PUBLIC IMPRESSED

In Europe the public seems to have been impressed with the people-to-people feature of the Friendship Train. Even the Communists, who have been waging the most vitriolic anti-American campaign since the days of Hitler, have been forced to treat the Friendship Train with cordiality. Politically, they couldn't afford to do otherwise. The Communists have been telling the European people that all Americans are bandits and imperialists; following which, a gesture comes from school kids and the labor unions and the railroads and the churches and businessmen of America which proves that they're not bandits at all.

Folks over here have been impressed with the fact that a Brazilian, Ambassador Oswaldo Aranha, came to Philadelphia to bid Godspeed to the first Friend Ship when it departed for France. Brazil was getting no part of the food and they wondered why he came. It took them some time to understand that a lot of people in other parts of the world wished Europe well. It gave them hope.

The other day my brother phoned me from London saying that Foreign Minister Gruber of Austria was disappointed because the Friendship Train did not visit Austria. Actually Austria is getting part of the recent congressional interim appropriation; also, several U. S. cities allocated Friendship boxcars to Austria through Church World Service. However, Foreign Minister Gruber wanted visible evidence of American friendship—for the Friendship Train itself to come to Austria so his people could know about it.

EXPERIMENT IN BROTHERHOOD

So, with scientists in a good part of the world working on the latest and most fiendish weapons for unleashing death in the world, there has been at least one experiment in going back to one of the oldest principles of mankind—the brotherhood of man.

During the war we dropped rifles to the Maquis in France and with the rifles we dropped bags of tea and messages of cheer. We also dropped cakes of soap over Germany, with messages on the wrappers calculated to woo the people away from Hitler. And we sent American labor leaders behind enemy lines to win over the enemy's labor unions. In fact, we stopped at nothing, spared no dollar to hasten the end of the war. This was important and successful strategy.

PEACE STRATEGY

But successful strategy in war, with slight variations, sometimes can be equally successful in peace. For instance, Amos Carter, publisher of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, together with the Lions club and various other big-hearted Texans, carefully stamped their flour bags for the Friendship Train with messages to the French and Italian people. Those flour bags are certain to be used as dresses for children and for dish rags and washclothes and the messages of friendship will be read.

Roving Reporter

By Hal Boyle

New York, (AP)—Adam was convinced he was born in the most troubled period of the world's history.

Every man since then has had the same idea, and each generation is dolefully certain it has been afflicted with the greatest woes since the sun first shone upon the waters and outlined land.

The present world era of normal confusion offers no exception. We are sure we are misfortune's darling of the ages, and that no race was ever more flattered by disaster, actual or potential.

Hal Boyle

Many Long Faces

Well, there is little prospect that any government or social order, here or elsewhere, will invent a bump-free path to a womb to tomb. But it is odd that in America, now in the flower of its plenty, there should be such a widespread philosophy of half-despondency and fear. I doubt if since time began there has ever before been so many people so well off and so gloomy about it, so vocally despairing of the future.

Half the faces you meet nowadays in this land of spreading wealth are twice as long as they are wide, and faith in ourselves seems to be on the ebb. We are like a giant living in dread that some unknown midget will sneak in by night and rob the sources of our strength.

Perhaps this is the real explanation of the invisible dread that hangs upon people's spirits—they have the worry-worries because they don't know the real enemy.

The cave dweller built a fire in his doorway to keep out sabre-toothed tigers. The modern cliff dweller doesn't know what is prowling outside waiting for him, but he has a vague certainty that something out there in the nameless night is closing in on him—something besides the milkman.

Is it another depression? A third world war? Or just a higher income tax? Does the New York carpenter, who just got a day hike raising him to \$2.75 an hour for a seven-hour day, take no joy in his task because he fears somewhere an atom bomb is even now being built to level the product of his hammer?

Some Consolation

Whatever the hidden cause of the national blues facing us as 1948 begins, the average American has at least two things to console him:

(1) He will probably live twice as long as his great, great grandfather did.

(2) He is more likely to die from the lifelong effects of over-eating than he is to be killed by an automobile or a war.

The plain truth is that now, even of the world does spin in its usual ordered chaos, we never had it so easy before—and the chances were never brighter for a longer, happier existence.

Perhaps all we need for 1948 is fewer resolutions and more resolution. In Edgar Lee Master's "Spoon River Anthology," Lincoln Matlock, a pioneer mother, gives this advice from her grave to her easily-disheartened descendants:

"Life is too strong for you—It takes life to love life."



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Personal News

St. Joseph Pupils
Attending Meeting
Of SUMA, Milwaukee

Eileen and Val Verda Johnson, 601 South 9th street, have returned from Chicago where they have been visiting with their father, G. C. Johnson, who is employed here.

Gilbert Taylor has returned to Muskegon where he is employed with a refrigeration company, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor, and with other relatives in Escanaba.

Miss Eunice Shaw spent New Year's Day in Peshtigo.

Mrs. Martin King, 515 South Fifth street, is spending the New Year weekend with her daughter, and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Douglas, in Iron Mountain.

Sergeant Fred Sundling, of Scott Field, Ill., who has been spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sundling, in Gladstone and with other relatives and friends in Escanaba and Gladstone, is leaving tonight to return to his base.

Miss Alice Dahl, 321 South 12th street, is visiting with relatives in Norway for the holiday weekend.

Glenn Ahlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ahlin, is spending a few days visiting with relatives in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Caswell are leaving today to resume their work as instructors in the high school of Alba, Mich., after a holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, 426 South 12th street.

Miss Rose Fahey, English supervisor in the high school in Monroe, Mich., left this morning to resume her work, after spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. William Flynn, South 10th street.

Cpl. Richard Steede left this morning for his base in Fort Mead, Md., after spending a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Steede.

William Pearson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Pearson, left today to resume his studies in Michigan State college.

Mrs. Levi Turnquist, 1221 North 18th street, left Friday for Milwaukee where she will receive medical treatment for her eyes.

Miss Jane Perrin, of this city, and Miss Jean Curtis, of Munising, who visited here for New Year's, left today for Chicago where they will attend a reunion of Timber Trail Girl Scouts.

T-5 Clarence Massard left today for his base at Fort Bragg, N. C., after a 14-day furlough spent at his home, 1610 North 18th street.

T-5 Jerry Couillard, who has spent a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Couillard, sr., left this morning to return to Fort Sill, Okla.

Mrs. Anton Calpin who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Harvey, jr., left this morning to return to her home in Scranton, Pa. Mrs. Harvey accompanied her mother to Chicago and will visit there for a few days.

Mrs. Alice Roberts returned today to her home in Hermansville, after spending the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaFreniere, 940 Stephenson avenue, and with her father, Joseph Badger, who will observe his 91st birthday, March 4.

Miss Lydia Asikainen left this morning to resume her teaching duties in Detroit, after spending a few days visiting Miss Hilma Asikainen, who is with the health department here.

Clayton Rouse, who has been visiting relatives in Ford River, left today to return to Chicago where he is employed with the ground forces of a commercial aviation line.

Mrs. William F. Sovey, formerly of Escanaba, returned to her home in Waukesha, Wis., after a holiday visit with her sister, Mrs. Edward Murphy, and with her mother, Mrs. Harry Leisner, who submitted to major surgery in St. Francis hospital Monday. The condition of Mrs. Leisner is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Babiarz left this morning for Chicago where they will make their home. Mrs. Babiarz is the former Anna Mae Van Lister, and is a recent bride.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hildebrand, who spent a week in Escanaba on business, left today to return to their home in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. William Winling have returned to their home in Fort Wayne, Ind., after spending the holidays with relatives and friends in Escanaba.

Miss Joan Lindsay, who has been spending the holiday vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold P. Lindsay, 1415 First avenue south, is returning Sunday to Appleton, Wis., where she is teaching.

Mrs. G. C. Maigatter, 820 First avenue south, is returning this week end from Syracuse, N. Y., where she visited during the holiday vacation with her daughter, Mrs. Garrett T. Mahon, the former Elizabeth Maigatter, and members of her family.

Mark O'Connell, who spent the Christmas vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Connell, 1107 Tenth avenue south, left Thursday for East Lansing to resume his studies at Michigan State college.

Eric Hammar, who was at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Karl J. Hammar, for the holidays, has left for East Lansing where he is attending Michigan State college.

Reynold Peterson has returned to East Lansing where he attends Michigan State college, after a

Rural Church Notices

Bark River Methodist—Church School, 10 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Miss Charlotte Gartner, youth director of Christian education, Marquette district, guest speaker. Youth Fellowship, 9 p. m. Otto H. Steen, minister.

Mashek Gospel Church—Sunday school at Watson school at 10 a. m. Gospel service at the Watson school at 7:45 p. m. Jack Doyens, pastor.

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran, Hyde—Teachers meeting, 8:45. Sunday

Social - Club

Star Initiation
A special meeting of R. C. Hatheway Chapter, No. 49, order of the Eastern Star, is being held Saturday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, at the Masonic Temple, for initiation. Mrs. Elmer Swanson is chairman of the hostess committee for the social to follow the meeting.

Past Matrons Meet
The R. C. Hatheway chapter of Past Matrons is meeting Monday at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Fred Fisher, 1306 11th avenue south. All Past Matrons are asked to bring a scissors, thimble and needles.

Twins Arrive On
New Year's Day

First arrivals of 1948 at St. Francis hospital, are twin daughters, born New Year's Day at 3:20 and 3:35 a. m., to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Fleetwood, of Spalding. The twins are the first children born to Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood.

Pythian Sisters
Supper Monday

Pythian Sisters of Justice Temple will meet at the home of Mrs. Conrad Anderson, 1820 First avenue south, Monday evening, January 5, for a 6:30 o'clock pot luck supper and installation of officers for the new year, as well as other business. All members are urged to attend.

Engadine

Christmas Party
Engadine, Mich.—The W. S. C. S. of Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Larry Hasting on Tuesday and had a delightful Christmas party. The ladies made and filled 32 bags of candy and nuts for the Sunday school class.

Christmas poems were read and Christmas carols were sung by the sixteen ladies who attended the party.

A lovely lunch was served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 8 at the home of Mrs. Ruben Brooks.

Altar Society Has Party
The Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes church held their party at the parsonage, Sunday evening. Sixteen ladies attended and a most enjoyable time was had.

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A lovely lunch was served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 8 at the home of Mrs. Ruben Brooks.

Church Services
Services in the Engadine Missions for Sunday, Jan. 4 follow: Naubinway church—8 a. m. Engadine church—9:30 a. m. Gould City church—11:00 a. m.

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Nahma—Bouquets of red gladioli were on the candlelight altar of St. Andrew's church last Saturday when Miss Corinne M. Thibault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Thibault, became the bride of William T. Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lawrence of La Branche.

The vows were exchanged before Rev. Fr. Jerome Larsen, who was celebrant of the 10 o'clock nuptial high mass. St. Andrew's choir sang the music of the mass. Mrs. Clyde Tobin, organist, played the bridal processional and recessional.

White Satin Gown
The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore white slipper satin, the gown fashioned with a sheer net yoke

outlined with pearls, fitted bodice marked in back by a row of tiny satin covered buttons, long tight sleeves and a full skirt with a long court train. Her veil was caught to a satin Juliet cap and she carried an arm bouquet of white mums and American beauty roses. Her only jewelry was a string of pearls, a gift of the groom.

Miss Nancy Lawrence, sister of the bridegroom, was the maid of honor. Miss Jean Thibault came from Milwaukee to be her sister's bridesmaid and little Alice Mae Lawrence was the flower girl.

The maid of honor wore rose taffeta and the bridesmaid wore green moire taffeta, the gowns fashioned alike with puffed sleeves and bouffant skirts. Each wore long white gloves. They carried colonial bouquets of mums and roses and wore pearls presented to them by the bride.

The flower girl wore a floor length dress of white net with a

long veil attached to a coronet of seed pearls. She carried a nosegay of mums and rosebuds.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Thibault wore a black dress with black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Lawrence's dress was also black with black accessories and her shoulder corsage was of pink mixed flowers.

Robert Thibault served as Mr. Lawrence's best man and Pat Milligan of Foster City ushered.

Dinner and Supper
A wedding dinner for 45 guests was served at the home of the bride's parents. Centering the table was the tiered wedding cake with red and white tapers and Yule logs at either side. Supper was served at the home of the groom's parents in La Branche at 7 o'clock. The couple, after a wedding trip to an unannounced destination, will live in Ann Arbor. The bride's going away outfit was a yellow wool dress with

black accessories.

The new Mrs. Lawrence is a graduate of the F. W. Good high school and the St. Joseph School of Nursing in Elgin. Before her marriage she was on the nursing staff of St. Francis hospital in Escanaba. Mr. Lawrence was graduated from the Powers high school and spent two years in the service. He is attending the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. Schaut of La Branche; Mr. and Mrs. John Schaut and daughter, Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Thibault and sons, Jerry and Roger, of Iron Mountain; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schaut and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greis of Escanaba; Rev. Gimski and his mother of Perronville; Robert Cass and Russell Sargent of Powers; Mr. and Mrs. Cal Cunningham and family of Gladstone, and Ulisses Thibault of Garden.

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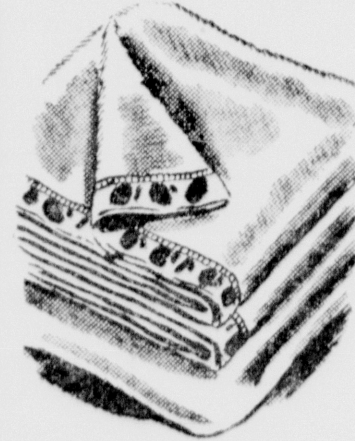
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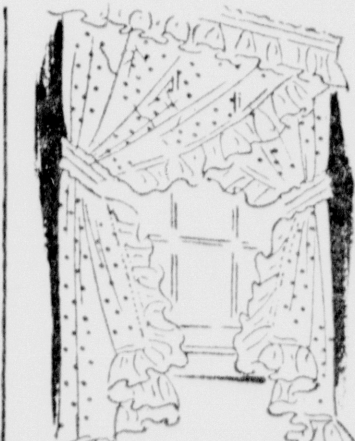
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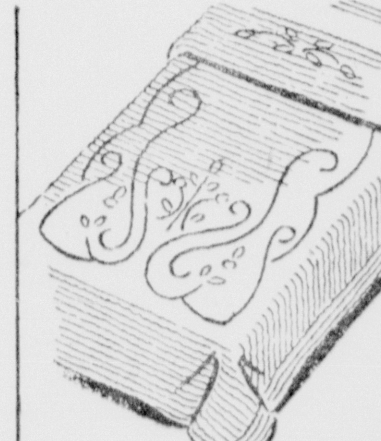
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December 26, 1947. January 2, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the sixteenth day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alpha Chiles Barron, deceased.
Mary M. Hermes, administratrix of said estate, having filed in said Court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the twentieth day of January, 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.
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MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

December 19, 1947. January 2, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the sixteenth day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Matt Ruusi, deceased.
Taimi Ruusi, administratrix of said estate, having filed in said Court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the thirteenth day of January, 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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December 19, 1947. January 2, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the sixteenth day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Zella Kates, deceased.
M. Hermes, administratrix with the will annexed of said estate, having filed in said Court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the thirteenth day of January, 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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December 26, 1947. January 9, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-third day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Herbert J. Rushton, deceased.
Etta P. Rushton, executrix named in the last will and testament of said deceased, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to Carroll C. Rushton, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That said twentieth day of January, 1948, at ten A. M. at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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December 26, 1947. January 9, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-third day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Delina Menard, deceased.
Della McGraw, executrix named in the last will and testament of said deceased, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to Della McGraw, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That said twentieth day of January, 1948, at ten A. M. at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-third day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Nelson B. Reade, deceased.
The Detroit Trust Company of Detroit, Michigan having filed in said Court its seventeenth annual accounts of trustee of said estate, and its petition praying for the allowance thereof.

It is Ordered, That the twentieth day of January, 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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December 26, 1947. January 9, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-third day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of William H. Herbst, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that two months from the second day of January, A. D. 1948, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said Court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court, at the Probate Office, in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on or before the fifth day of March, A. D. 1948, and that said claims will be heard by said Court on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated December 26, A. D. 1947.
WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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December 26, 1947. January 9, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the eighteenth day of December, A. D. 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna Matt, deceased.
Charles D. Mason, heir of said deceased having filed in said Court his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to Clement L. Tordeur, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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January 2, 1948. January 16, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-sixth day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sarah C. Dewar, deceased.
Elaine Dewar, one of the executrices named in the last will and testament of said deceased, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to Elaine Dewar and Mae Mitchell, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That said twentieth day of January, 1948, at ten A. M. at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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January 2, 1948. January 16, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-seventh day of December, A. D. 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Victor Tuori (Turri), deceased.
Roy G. Peterson, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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January 2, 1948. January 16, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-ninth day of December, A. D. 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jakob Jacobson, deceased.
Pearl Kaukola, daughter and heir of said deceased, having filed in said Court her petition, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Pearl Kaukola, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-third day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Fred Proehl, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that two months from the second day of January, A. D. 1948, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said Court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court, at the Probate Office, in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on or before the fifth day of March, A. D. 1948, and that said claims will be heard by said Court on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated December 26, A. D. 1947.
WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

In the Matter of the Estate of Victor Halber, deceased.
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COTA-PASSINAULT

Munising—Miss Arvilla Arlene Cota, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Cota, became the bride of Lester Joseph Passinault, of Peoria, Ill., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alsid Passinault, Munising, in a ceremony performed on Dec. 20 in the Sacred Heart church. The Rev. Gerald Harrington officiated.

Mrs. Passinault is a graduate of Western High school, Detroit, and for the past two years has been employed as a stenographer at the Michigan State Employment Service. The groom was graduated from the Mather High school and is now attending Bradley University, Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Passinault are employed in Munising and Marquette before their marriage.

HETAMAKI-HAAPASAARI
Munising—Miss Hilda Hetamaki, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hetamaki, Trout Creek became the bride of George E. Haapasaari, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Haapasaari, of Rumeley, in a ceremony performed Dec. 20, in the Finnish Lutheran parsonage. The Rev. Margelin officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Haapasaari were employed in Munising and Marquette before their marriage.

BARTOL SERVICES
Munising—Services for John Bartol, 70, of Traunick, who died suddenly on Tuesday at his farm

home were held at 9 a. m. Friday at St. Rita's church, Trenary. The Rev. Andrew Schulek officiated. Interment was made in the Trenary cemetery.

Trenary
Christmas Program
Trenary, Mich.—A large crowd assembled in the Trenary high school gym to see the Christmas program which was given last Thursday evening.

The program which was one of the nicest ever given here was:

(An Acrostic)—Merry Xmas
Darlene Aho, Leroy Savola, Nancy Webber, Laura Marin, James Hytinen, Melvin Mattson, James Graine, Stanley Pama, Helen Paulio, Karen Laurich, Gerald Betteker, Virginia Jassila, Barbara Stankovitch and Carol Hendrickson.

Christmas Lesson
John Hanley, Jimmy Minor, Bobby Brandt, Dickie Laurila, Joanne Goodman, Marlene Rukkala, Sharon Musselman, Pat Webber, Jimmy Muck, Randy Tuuri, Judy Quarfott, Curtis Hytinen, Walter Thompson, Gilbert Betteker.

Christ Is Born
A Tableau
Prelude
Reading—Introduction
Scene 1
Reading—Arrival at Bethlehem
Tableau—Mary, Joseph and the donkey
Song—"O Little Town of Bethlehem"

Scene 2
Reading—The Nativity
Tableau—Mary, Joseph and the manger with the Christ child.
Song—"Luther's Cradle Hymn"

Scene 3
Reading—Announcement to the shepherds
Tableau—Several shepherds looking heavenward
Song—"The First Noel"

Scene 4
Reading—Adoration of the shepherds
Tableau—Several shepherds Mary and the Christ child in the manger.

Legals
January 2, 1948. January 16, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-ninth day of December, A. D. 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Kathlyn Markovich, deceased.
Frank S. Kroil, husband and heir of said deceased, having filed in said Court his petition, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Frank S. Kroil, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Escanaba Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.
A true copy.
MARIE D. PETERS, Register of Probate.

January 2, 1948. January 16, 1948
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Delta.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on the twenty-third day of December, 1947.
Present, Honorable William J. Miller, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Fred Proehl, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that two months from the second day of January, A. D. 1948, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said Court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court, at the Probate Office, in the City of Escanaba, in said County, on or before the fifth day of March, A. D. 1948, and that said claims will be heard by said Court on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated December 26, A. D. 1947.
WILLIAM J. MILLER, Judge of Probate.

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In the Matter of the Estate of Victor Halber, deceased.
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MUNISING BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mautino are parents of a son, born Dec. 26 in St. Luke's hospital, Marquette.

Mrs. Ed Tinner and daughter returned home Wednesday from a seven-day vacation in Escanaba. Miss Julie Laurich, of Evanston, Ill. is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Laurich, of Forest Lake.

Don Webber, U. S. Navy, will return to Norfolk, Va., Saturday after spending a leave with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Webber.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clement of Shingleton will leave Saturday for Florida where they will spend the winter months.

Pic. Donald R. Watson, who has been spending a 15-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Watson, left Wednesday to return to Keesler Field, Miss.

Miss Fern Oslund left Wednesday to resume her studies in the Vogue school in Chicago after spending several days here with relatives.

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MANISTIQUE

PHONE 155
DAILY PRESS BLDG.
111 Cedar Street

AKIN PLANT HAS BEEN SOLD

Factory Long Closed
Will Reopen In
Mid-January

Akinmatt Industries, a local manufacturing plant producing pre-fabricated log cabins, has been sold, according to recent announcement, to H. Carlton Henry, of Adrian and will soon resume operations under the name Northland Wood Products.

Operations at the plant will not be confined to cabins, the new owner announces, but will take in other wood products that are in current demand.

Mauritz Peterson of Gulliver, will be plant manager. He is an architectural draftsman and has had much experience in the field of pre-fabricated construction.

The plant, which is located in the largest building on the old fair grounds, will be extensively remodeled and will be put in operation about the 19th of January the new owner states. The plant, which was originally given over to the manufacture of ornamental fence posts and operated by C. L. Akin, formerly of Belleville, has been idle since early last summer.

Garden

Garden, Mich.—Church services, Sunday Jan. 4.

St. John the Baptist
Masses at 8 and 10 a. m.

Congregational
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Worship service at 4 p. m.

Family Gatherings
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deloria entertained members of their family at Christmas dinner including Mr. and Mrs. Walter Deloria, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred LaVallee and family, Alfred LaVallee sr., and Miss Eva Lemieux of Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ralph and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Lester were dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lester sr., Thursday.

Miss Mildred Purtil was hostess to Mr. and Mrs. John Burley and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whitman at Manistique and Miss Farley of Detroit at dinner Saturday evening.

Manistique To Have Big Celebration But C Of C Can't Decide What Kind

Will Manistique's big community celebration this year be a blue-bery festival, a July Fourth celebration or a homecoming?

The question was discussed at length at Tuesday evening's meeting of the board of directors of the Manistique-Schoolcraft Chamber of Commerce. The question is far from settled for each of the three celebrations had strong advocates.

The matter will be decided upon at a meeting to be called some time this month when representatives of various civic organizations and fraternal orders will be called in to help the directors come to some conclusion.

Work of Band Praised
Clint Leonard, representing the Manistique Municipal Band, appeared before the directors to request an appropriation of \$50 to pay for janitor service, repairs on musical instruments and other incidentals and the request was readily approved.

Leonard reported that the band, now numbering 21 is making splendid progress, that practices are well attended and that the quality of music being performed by the players is of a very high order.

He stated that the band will conduct a concert either late in January or early in February.

Mid-Winter Banquet
The chamber of commerce will

City Police To Crack Down On Park Loiterers

The Manistique police department is giving fair warning to young folks (and perhaps a few old bucks included) from Manistique, Seul Choix, Gulliver, Thompson and elsewhere, who have been making Riverside and Trailer Parks nocturnal rendezvous, that they had better watch their step.

Police are going to make time to time checkups of those two parks and the names of all people caught parking their cars there at night will be taken and placed on the city police records.

"People have no legitimate business in on winter nights, and when they add insult to injury by parking their cars in shrubbery, destroying trees, littering the ground with discarded beer cans, whiskey bottles and rubbish, its time to call a halt," says Chief Roy Anderson.

Having Trouble With Your Refrigerator?

Call Manistique 303R1

Schemers' Refrigeration Service

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Schoolcraft County Road Commission, Manistique, Mich., until 4:00 p. m. EST., Jan. 13th, 1948, for the sale of the following equipment.

1-1928 F.W.D. 3 Ton Truck, known as C301, with Dump Box, Snow Plow and Black-Hawk Hydraulic hand hoist. 9.75" x 24" Tires.

The above equipment may be seen at the Schoolcraft County Road Commission garage at Manistique, Mich. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Schoolcraft County Road Commission

Charles H. Howard, Chairman.

Church Services

Bethany Lutheran (Isabella)—2:30 p. m. Epiphany Service. Dedication of memorial candlesticks.—The Rev. G. A. Herbert, pastor.

St. Paul's Episcopal (Nahma)—Monday, Jan. 5, 6:45 p. m. Church school. 7:30 p. m. Holy communion and sermon.—The Rev. Herbert A. Wilson, Vicar.

Fernland Mennonite (German)—Bible classes, 10. Message hour, 11. Evening worship service 7:30 p. m.—The Rev. Chester C. Osborne, pastor.

Hiawatha Fourscore Gospel—Services every Wednesday and Sunday evenings at 7:30 p. m. at the William Brown residence in Hiawatha.—The Rev. Niles and Violet Byers, pastors.

Bethany Baptist Chapel (Gulliver)—10:15 a. m. (Note new time) Sunday school. 11:15 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon: "A new life, not a new leaf." 8 p. m. Evening service. Message "Confidence for the New Year."—The Rev. F. Curtis Peterson, pastor.

First Methodist Plans to Conduct Evening Services

After being dark on Sunday evening for the past several years, the First Methodist church will again have evening services, the Rev. Harold G. Cowdick, pastor announces. "We are going to start the new year right by holding these evening services on the first Sunday of the year. The services will be every other Sunday evening as the pastor will be away on alternate Sundays.

The move, Rev. Cowdick states, has been made in response to numerous requests and is made in deference to the "Crusade for Christ" program carried on by Methodist churches. Its continuance will depend upon its support.

The services will feature the singing of Gospel hymns and will be inspirational and evangelistic in tone.

Barbed Wire Guards German Coal Trains

Hamburg (P)—German railway police have erected barbed wire barricades along "vulnerable" stretches of railway track to prevent mass coal pilfering from trains. Last winter coal trains from the Ruhr lost as much as one-third of their load through pilfering on the journey to Hamburg.

MANISTIQUE THEATRES CEDAR OAK

Today and Saturday
Evenings, 7 and 9

"Buck Privates
Come Home"

Bud Abbott
Lou Costello

Selected Shorts

James D. Floria Recently Wed In Wauwatosa, Wis.

Of local interest here is the wedding on December 11 of Miss Audrey Petersen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen, of Wauwatosa, to James D. Floria, son of Mrs. Louise Floria, also of Wauwatosa, which took place in the Wauwatosa Methodist church with the Rev. Francis E. Kearns officiating.

Mr. Floria, an industrial designer, is a former resident of Manistique, and is the nephew of Mrs. Ida Bourgette, North Fifth street. He just recently returned from Europe where he attended the National Automobile Show. His bride, an interior designer, attended Milwaukee State Teachers college.

The couple will live near Mequon, Wis.

Now Is Time to Trim Low Hanging Branches of Trees

City employees who operate the snow plows which clear snow from sidewalks have registered complaint that low hanging limbs of trees have hampered their progress.

In their behalf, the city manager is calling attention to a city ordinance which states that trees abutting sidewalks must be trimmed to provide clearance of at least eight feet. The city manager also throws in a hint for good measure. Now is a splendid time to trim trees.

Particularly complained about are certain places on North Third Street, Maple street and Lakeside.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who assisted us during our recent bereavement, the death of our son and brother, Harry LaVake of Epoufette. We assure you these kindnesses will never be forgotten.

Signed:

The LaVake Family

Low Overhead Saves You Money MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

Quality Footwear
at Reasonable Prices

The Boot Shoppe

308 Deer Street

City Briefs

Miss Joan New has returned to Detroit after spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph New, Cedar street.

Sister Helen Marie of Appleton, Wis., spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph New, 163 North Cedar street.

Mrs. Lottie Woodford and Mrs. Frank Cookson will leave January 3 for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend the winter. They will visit in Jacksonville, Florida enroute.

Sgt. and Mrs. N. H. Modders and children, of Wakefield are visiting here with Mrs. Modders' mother, Mrs. John Girvin, Lake street.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Connell and

son, John, of Sheboygan, Wis., are guests here of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Heitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Anderson have left for Green Bay where Mr. Anderson will receive medical treatment. They were accompanied to Iron Mountain by Mrs. Amiel Anderson who spent Christmas here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Graves of Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Pratt of Escanaba, are visiting here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Rutherford, Maple avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Grimes are leaving Friday for Oldsmar, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Fox and Mrs. Minnie Bradley of Muskegon are visiting friends and relatives here.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Grimes, Oak street were: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Swanson and family, and

Lyle Jensen of Marquette; Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lambergen of St. Ignace; Miss June Grimes, a student nurse at Ford hospital in Detroit; and Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Grimes and family of Shingleton.

Miss Jean Hollenbeck of Rogers City is visiting here with relatives.

Miss Mary Herbert of Chicago, visited here recently with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Joseph Herbert.

Miss Helen Minor, of Los Alamos, New Mexico, is visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Minor, Indian Lake.

Bob Anderson has returned to Milwaukee after visiting here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson, South Houghton avenue.

Estimates by the United States forest service place the total stand of Ponderosa pines at approximately 250 billion feet.

COMPARE

then COME PARE your FOOD BILL

Canned Goods

Cloverland	No. 2 size	
Peas	3	29c
Joannes Diced	No. 2 size	10c
Carrots	No. 1 size	10c
Campbell's	No. 1 size	10c
Tomato Soup		10c
Taste Sealed		
Apricots	2 1/2 size	19c
Renown	2 1/2 size	24c
Peaches	2 1/2 size	21c
Melbourn Purple	2 1/2 size	21c
Plums		

CLOVERLAND COFFEE

freshly ground—**39c**

Values Galore

HERSHEY

Chocolate Syrup

1 lb can **15c**

NANCY PURE

STRAWBERRY PRESERVES

1 lb jar **45c**

Armour Mayflower

OLEO **40c**

Quality Meats

Oscar Mayer Tender—Whole or Half

Hams **63c**

They're Tender, Economical Too

Cubed Steaks **69c**

Strictly Fresh Lake Superior

Whitefish **39c**

Rosefish Fillets 1 lb cello pkg. **47c**

Mild-Cured

Bacon Squares **49c**

Cleaned, Ready-to-Cook

Chicken Gizzards 1 lb pkg. **35c**

Lean, Tender, Boneless

Beef Stew **49c**

Oscar Mayer

Breakfast Sausage **57c**

Grocery Dept.

Dessert	4 lb economy pkg.	65c
Prunes		
Monarch	1 lb jar	37c
Peanut Butter		
Great Northern	2 lb pkg.	33c
Beans		
Miracle Whip	pt. jar	39c
Salad Dressing		
Pure White Floating Soap	large bar	20c
Swan		
Chocolate, Strawberry and Vanilla	4 1/2-oz. pkg.	12c
QT Frosting Mix		
Brown Sugar	5 lb pkg.	60c
Swedish Mints	1/2 lb pkg.	35c
Freshly Roasted		
Peanuts		27c

TENDER BRANDED

Beef Pot Roast

55c

SELECTED SHOULDER

Veal Roast

45c

Farm-Fresh Produce

Garden fresh

BROCCOLI 1ge. bch. **31c**

Fancy Michigan Northern Spy

Apples 3 **29c**

California Navel

Oranges doz. **51c**

Emperor

Grapes 2 lbs. **33c**

Crisp, Tender Pascal

Celery 2 lge. behs. **25c**

Red-Ripe

Tomatoes 4 to 5 in tube **33c**

X-tra Good Schoolcraft

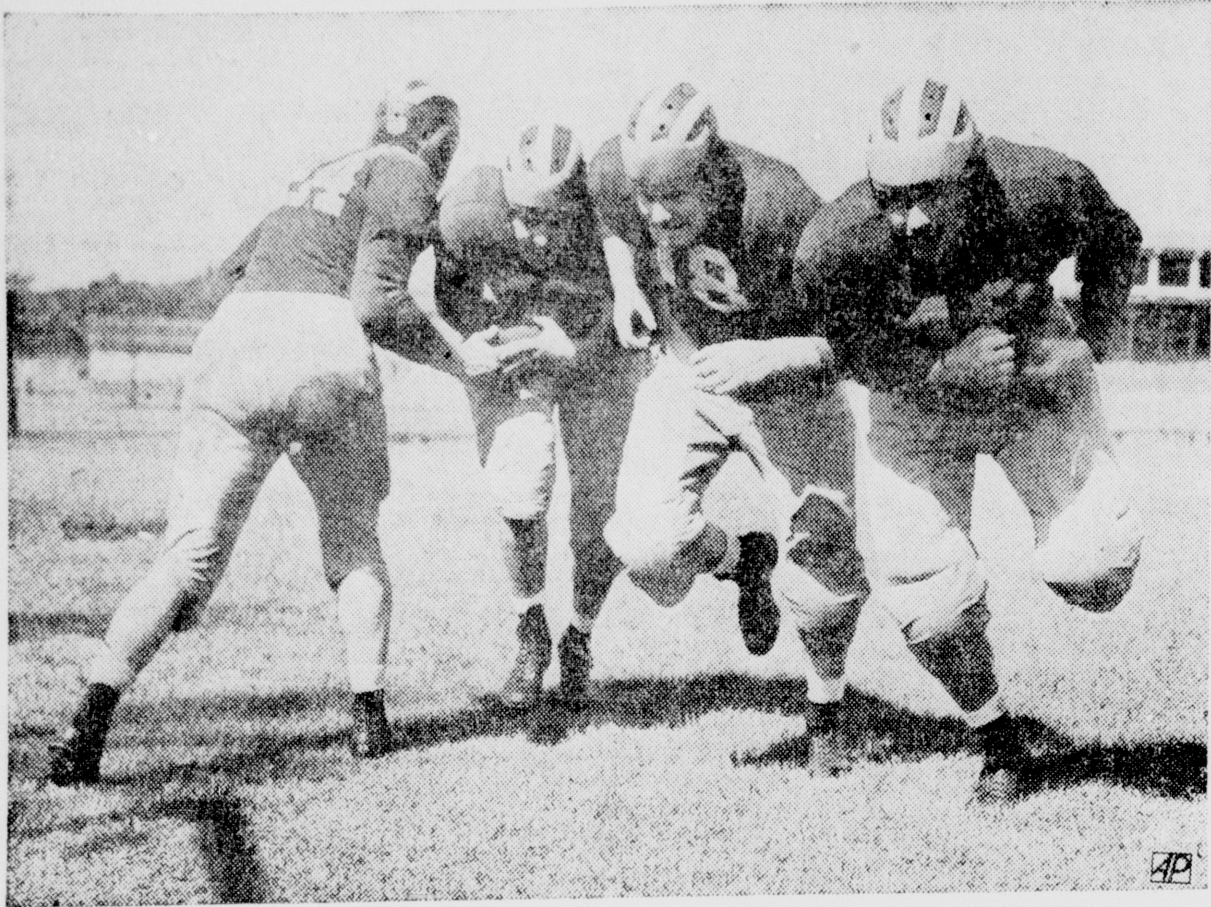
Potatoes peck **53c**

SCHUSTER'S SUPER FOOD MART

Blondie



By Chick Young



MICHIGAN MAGIC—It was just this type of Michigan "voodoo" that had Southern California tacklers spinning on their heels and talking to themselves in the University of Michigan's 49-0 triumph over the Trojans in the Rose Bowl classic yesterday afternoon. The precision, deception and quick, clever ball-handling

of Michigan's backs has been a phenomenon of the Wolverines' play all season and never was it greater than against Southern California. Here you see Jack Weisenburger, Howard Yerges, Bump Elliott and Bob Chappuis going into their act.

HAWKS READY FOR NEWBERRY

Escanaba Hockey Club
Opens Loop Slate
Here Sunday

With two exhibition victories over the Gladstone Indians to their credit and another week of practice behind them, the Escanaba Hawks are ready to square off here Sunday afternoon against Newberry in the opening game of the Upper Michigan Amateur Hockey league season.

The game will be played at the state fairgrounds, exhibition building, indoor rink and the faceoff time is 3 p. m.

Manager Robert Grabowski said today his Hawks will hold their final pre-game practice session at 8:30 tonight on the outdoor rink. He expects Manager J. A. Morrison of Newberry to throw a surprise or two at the Hawks here Sunday in a game which promises to be a bangup affair.

The Hawk management anticipates a capacity crowd for the league opener.

Art Gardner will officiate. In accordance with league regulations, Newberry will bring a linesman to assist.

'Stique Merchants Play Iron Mountain Wittocks Saturday

Manistiquie, Jan. 1.—The Wittocks basketball team of Iron Mountain will play the Manistiquie Merchants Saturday at 8:15 following a preliminary between Nahma and a leading city league team.

The strong Iron Mountain team is regarded as a fast, strong and tall team which consists of former high school stars and college players. So far this year they have been defeated but once, and are the leading team of the interstate league of Northern Wisconsin and Upper Michigan. It is expected to be a close fight throughout the game. Earl Wedin is the star of the team and is regarded as one of the best basketball players ever to be turned out of Iron Mountain.

Coach Thor Regue has been holding practices weekly and will again have Danko, and Berger at the forward positions with Noe at center and Hellstam and Courmay at the guard positions. Those expected to see plenty of action are Hartman, Ebli, Beckman, Ryquist and Norton.

NWM Cage Standings

Team	W.	L.
Iron River	7	1
Hermansville	6	1
Escanaba	6	2
Negaunee	5	3
Niagara	4	3
Stambaugh	4	4
Iron Mountain	4	4
Norway	2	6
Vulcan	1	6
Crystal Falls	0	8

GAMES NEXT WEEK

(Start of second half)
Escanaba at Crystal Falls
Iron Mountain at Hermansville
Negaunee at Iron River
Norway at Niagara
Vulcan at Stambaugh.

Hardwares Play at Munising Saturday

The Escanaba Hardwares, currently in the thick of the chase for the NWM Basketball league title, will journey to Munising tomorrow night to play the Cox Chevrolet quintet in a non-league affair. Their next league game will be against Crystal Falls on the latter's court next week. The date has not yet been set.

JUDNICH SIGNS

Cleveland, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The Cleveland Indians' front office announced today that outfielder Walt Juhnich, obtained in a deal with the St. Louis Browns, had let the rough grow—and the scores ditto.

Michigan, Notre Dame-- Which Is Greater Team?

By BOB GRUBB

New York, Jan. 2 (AP)—Michigan's thumping 49-0 Rose Bowl victory over Southern California re-kindled the fire today under the hottest argument of the 1947 college football season.

Notre Dame's unbeaten and untied fighting Irish were voted the outstanding team of the year in the Associated Press' final poll of sports writers, but the Michigan adherents point to yesterday's victory at Pasadena in laying claim to at least a share of the mythical collegiate championship of the nation.

Fritz Crisler's Big Nine champions, by completely outclassing the West Coast standard-bearers by the most lopsided score in

modern Rose Bowl history, eclipsed the 37-7 shellacking Notre Dame handed U.S.C. last Dec. 6.

It was a duplicate of the 49-0 tally by which Michigan's famed "Point-a-Minute" team swamped Stanford in the inaugural Tournament of Roses clash 45 years ago and it was the worst defeat in 60 years of football at Southern California.

All-America Bob Chappuis sparked the Wolverines to their greatest success. Registering a total of 279 yards running and passing for what may be a modern individual record.

An estimated half-million spectators sat in on the score or more post-season offerings. With Pasadena's 93,000 turnout tops for the day.

The clash of two of the nation's unbeaten elevens before 47,000 in Dallas' Cotton Bowl saw Penn State's Nittany Lions come charging back from a 13-0 deficit at the hands of Southern Methodist's Mustangs to gain a 13-13 tie.

Lujack Star

The crowd of 60,000 which turned out for the Orange Bowl clash at Miami was held spellbound as Georgia Tech beat Kansas 20-14 after the Jayhawkers blew a golden scoring opportunity in the final minutes. Tech's recovery of a Kansas fumble on the one-yard line stymied the Jayhawkers' chances.

The versatile All-America Bob Layne led his Texas Longhorns to a decisive 27-7 victory over outclassed Alabama before a capacity crowd of 72,000 in New Orleans' Sugar Bowl. An expected aerial duel between Layne and Alabama's Harry Gilmer failed to materialize.

Notre Dame, although not represented on the post-season program, gained a measure of the day's honors through the sensational performance of its All-America quarterback, Johnny Lujack, as the Eastern All-Stars mangled the West 40-9 in the Shrine charity game before 60,000 at San Francisco. Lujack drove the Easterners to four touchdowns and scored one himself.

Charley Conerly chucked two last-quarter touchdowns passes that gave Mississippi a 13-9 victory over Texas Christian in a Delta Bowl thriller before 28,800 at Memphis.

Arkansas twice came from behind to edge William and Mary 21-19 in the inaugural Dixie Bowl game before 21,000 at Birmingham.

The Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla., ended in a 20-20 tie between Maryland and Georgia, thus preserving Georgia Coach Wally Butts' unbeaten record in five bowl contests. A crowd of 20,000 sat in on this all-South classic.

More Bowls

Missouri Valley College ran the nation's longest unbeaten string to 32 by routing West Chester (Pa.) Teachers College 26-7 before 10,000 in the Cigar Bowl at Tampa. Nevada defeated North Texas State 13-6 in the first Salad Bowl game at Phoenix, Ariz., while Sam Houston College won over Philander Smith 7-0 in the Cattle Bowl at Fort Worth, Tex.

College of the Pacific, playing its second post-season game, rolled to a 26-14 verdict over the University of Wichita in the Rain Bowl at Fresno, Calif.

The Harbor Bowl at San Diego saw Hardin-Simmons trounce San Diego State 53-0.

A crowd of 12,000 turned out at El Paso, Tex., for the Sun Bowl game in which Miami University of Ohio repulsed Texas Tech 13-12. Catawba of Salisbury, N.C., defeated Marshall College of Huntington, W. Va., 7-0 in the Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla.

Hawaii University became the pineapple bowl champions at Honolulu with a "basketball"-like 33-32 verdict over the University of Redlands (Calif.).

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Wolverines Shatter Rose Bowl Records By Routing Southern California, 49-0

Major Grid Bowl Scores

Rose—Michigan 49, USC 0.
Cotton—Penn State 13, SMU 13.
Orange—Ga. Tech 20, Kansas 14.
Sugar—Texas 27, Alabama 7.
Shrine—East 40, West 9.

EAST WALLOPS WEST, 40 TO 9

San Francisco, Jan. 2 (AP)—All America Johnny Lujack, as talented a T-formation ball handler as ever played on anybody's football team, passed and quarterbacked a fine Eastern All-Star team to an astounding 40-9 victory over a completely outclassed West team in the annual New Year's classic before 60,000 delighted spectators.

It was the worst beating ever inflicted on a West team—and that goes back to the start of the annual spectacle in 1925.

Apparently unhindered by a gridiron slippery with mud, which quickly made it almost impossible to distinguish one player from another, Lujack abruptly neutralized a West touchdown scored in the first four minutes of play and went on to engineer touchdown after touchdown with incredible ease.

The West, in making its lone touchdown, put together a nicely organized drive from the East 36, scoring on a pass from quarterback Virgil Eikenberg of Rice to Gail Bruce of Washington.

Lujack, handling the slippery ball with nary a fumble or wild throw, lashed out with a deadly accurate pass from the West's 17 to Bill Swiacki, veteran fingered Columbia end, glen Yablonski of Columbia muffed the try for point, although he kicked four good ones during the day.

Midway in the second period, Lujack connected with a beautiful pass to halfback Bob Sullivan of Holy Cross for the second East score—and the East was rolling, despite the splendid efforts of Herman Wedemeyer, St. Mary's, and his outgunned but hard fighting teammates.

Entry Forms For U. P. Golden Glove Tournament Ready

Entry forms for the Upper Peninsula Golden Gloves boxing tournament to be held at Escanaba January 26-27 are now available at the Daily Press office.

Amateur boxers desiring to enter in either the novice or open division of the Golden Gloves tournament may secure entry forms by contacting Ken Gunderman, Daily Press, Escanaba.

An attractive list of prizes will be offered in the U. P. tournament again this year and champions will receive an all expense trip to Milwaukee to compete in the Milwaukee Golden Gloves tournament.

Bowling Notes

TRI-COUNTY LEAGUE

Final standings last fall:	W.	L.	Pct.
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Larson Bros.	26	16	.619
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Campbells Service	24	18	.571
Rock Dairy	21	21	.500
Hyde Sportsmen	16	26	.381
Harris Boys	16	26	.381
Depuyds Service	15	27	.357

High, three games: Herbs Bar 2350. High game: Larson Bros. 872.

Individual averages: J. Orlando 173, R. Severinsen 168, W. Severinsen 158, L. Vitala 157, A. Weldum 157, B. Porath 153, W. Salmi 150, F. Campbell 149, H. Severinsen 149, G. Klein 148.

High, three games: J. Porath 604. High game: L. Larson 235.

Junior Puck Men Meet Tomorrow

All junior and midged hockey players who have signed registration blanks and others who want to play this season are asked to meet at the Escanaba junior high school outdoor hockey rink at 10 Saturday morning.

Uniforms will be issued. More players between eight and 16 years of age are sought by Robert J. Grabowski for organized junior hockey play under the sponsorship of the city recreation department.

"Hockey is here to stay," Grabowski said yesterday. "More and more youngsters are signing up to play. This means more talent in later years for the Escanaba Hawks."

Basketball

Long Island U. 44 Southern California 41
UCLA 50 Cornell 47 (two overtimes)
New York U. 59 Colorado 46
Indiana 72 Notre Dame 46
Illinois 77 Harvard 41
Bradley 64 Princeton 41

Yost's 'Point-A-Minute' Team Score In 1902 Tied By Great Crisler Eleven

BY JOHN F. MAYHEW

Pasadena, Calif., Jan. 2 (AP)—The Michigan Wolverines wrote their prowess indelibly into Rose Bowl history yesterday with a 49 to 0 victory of Southern California that left the humiliated Pacific Conference champions only slightly more bewildered than the spectators.

The fortunate 93,000 on hand for the sunny 34th edition of the famous bowl game that originated with Michigan's 1902 victory over Stanford by an identical score, quickly spread the word that the Wolverines showed a precision and deception that could only be compared to black magic.

In awesome tones, the local fans and visiting midwesterners told of the methodical manner in which the Maize and Blue artists made their way seven times into the Trojan end zone on the wings of dazzling speed, unbelievable finger-tip catches, bullet-like passes and magic runs.

And as the 44 workmen of the Western Conference made ready to board a special section of the Santa Fe Chief at noon (PST) for Ann Arbor, stunned sports fans still heard the echo of falling Rose Bowl records.

The final whistle had hardly ended the debacle, worst USC beating in 60 years, when the excited crowd surged over the field.

Some industrious followers of the sport tore the goal-posts from the ground, some made for the exits, some pushed their way down to the Michigan dressing room and a sprinkling of spectators remained in their seats, quietly discussing the near-flawless performance they had witnessed.

Everyone was a participant. The players no sooner surged into the Michigan dressing room than they dropped the mantle of care that had descended on their shoulders with the tremendous publicity pressure that had mounted with each passing day of their near-two-week visit.

The Maize and Blue men cheered, sang and shouted. They slapped each other on the back; they hugged each other.

The thrill of accomplishment that men with the knowledge that they had performed beyond the wildest expectations of coaches, fans and sportswriters made the tiny dressing room a bedlam.

And when Coach Fritz Crisler followed about ten minutes later, the demonstrative Michigan squad turned the full force of the emotional blow-off on the "coach of the year."

Best Team Ever

Crisler accepted the tribute in damp-eyed silence.

But he broke the silence when newsmen poured in.

Pulling out practically all the stops, Crisler termed his boys "The greatest team I ever coached."

"They played 60 minutes with but one mistake," he said, referring to Quarterback Howard Yerges' fumble on the USC nine yard line in the third quarter.

"But Howard played a beautiful game," he added. "They all did."

"It was strictly a team performance—a factor that has characterized this outfit the whole season."

However, the genial head man didn't let himself go far enough to even answer the request for a comparison with the Irish of Notre Dame, which whipped the Trojans 38 to 7 earlier and finished the season on the top rung of the Associated Press poll of sports-writers.

The Trojan Coach, Jeff Cravath, had little to say, as might be expected.

But he did venture the thought that was obvious from his tired face. "I knew they were good," he said, "but I didn't think they'd be that good."

Cravath, too, sidestepped the Irish issue, stating flatly that Michigan's offensive showed an almost unmatchable precision and deception and that Notre Dame was lacking in the Wolverine finesse but was better at the rough-tumble brand of game.

Brieske 7 for 7

Michigan's clever spinning full-back, Jack Weisenburger, contributed three touchdowns to the Wolverine cause.

Chalmers (Bump) Elliott, Gene Derricotte, Dick Rifenburg and Yerges each made one.

And "old faithful" place kicker Jim Brieske converted each time without batting an eyelash.

The name of Michigan will be put down as having hit the highest total offense in Rose Bowl history with 491 yards, just 79 yards better than the previous mark set in 1930 by USC.

The score itself was higher than any score in Rose Bowl history with the exception of the 49 points fielding H. Yost's point-a-minute team gathered in 1902.

Brieske's conversion performance was three better than the mark of four—held jointly by Ernest Smith of USC (1933),



LEONARD FORD
Michigan End

TEXAS, (LAYNE) BEATS ALABAMA

New Orleans, Jan. 2 (AP)—Texans were bragging prouder and louder than ever today, this time over the great Bobby Layne and his Longhorns who kept the Lone Star escutcheon at the Sugar Bowl masthead with a slashing 27-7 triumph over Alabama's ebbing Crimson Tide.

Equalling the all-time margin of victory in 14 years of Sugar Bowling, the University of Texas yesterday whipped the Tide with Layne's stupendous individual exhibition which saw him complete 10 passes for 183 yards, pitch for one touchdown, set up another and score one himself as the Longhorns maintained the reputation of their state's college football of having never lost a game in this post-season classic in four tries.

For a half it was a great ball game with Alabama's mighty line giving a Longhorn wall a classy licking. But the Texans caught their second wind at half-time intermission and from there on out the Tide never had a chance.

round bout.

Columbus, O.—Willie Russell, 133, of Columbus, outpointed Ace Miller, 137, Cincinnati, (10).

Hardly had they settled down when Rifenburger made another fingertip catch of Yerges pass from the USC 28 yard line and took two fast steps into the end zone for the final score.

Indians to Discuss Hockey Rules; Open Season Next Sunday

Gladstone, Jan. 2.—Discussion of current hockey rules will mark a meeting of the Gladstone Indians to be held at 7 Friday evening in the Gladstone city hall.

Practice for the opening game of the season will follow. The Indians will open the U. P. Hockey league season Sunday evening in Marquette. The game will start at 8 p. m. Gladstone time.

Fights Last Night

Fall River, Mass.—Eddie Moniz, 147, Fall River, Mass., outpointed Fernando Trindade, 148½, Lisbon, Portugal (10).

Portland, Ore.—Jack Snapp, 159, Klamath Falls, Ore., outpointed Bobby Volk, 159, Portland, Ore. (15).

Milwaukee, Wis.—Jackie Dart-hard, 157½, Kansas City, knocked out Jerome Frazier, 154½, in 1:05 of fifth round in scheduled ten-

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By The Associated Press

The Chicago Black Hawks didn't win any games for their new coach over the New Year's holiday, but they certainly convinced Charlie Conacher he had a fighting club behind him for the rest of the National league season.

The last-place Hawks dropped their seventh and eighth games of the season to Detroit's Red Wings in as many starts Wednesday and Thursday. Their 4-0 loss to the second-place Wings in Detroit was decorous enough as the boys apparently were in a New Year's Eve mood of cordiality. But chances are the Detroiters will remember what happened in Chicago last night.

Detroit won 4-1, after a wild first period that featured a spirited Donnybrook out of which Detroit's Jack Stewart and Pete Horek and Chicago's Gaye Stewart (no relation) and Johnny Mariucci drew 10-minute misconduct penalties. Referee King Clancy called a total of 10 penalties in the single frame.

Standings:

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Toronto	16	7	7	39	94	63
Detroit	16	8	5	37	94	72
New York	13	12	4	30	92	93
Boston	11	13	6	28	87	95
Montreal	11	13	4	26	67	70
Chicago	7	21	2	16	93	132

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Boston 4, New York 1.
Toronto 2, Montreal 1.
Detroit 4, Chicago 1.

Cravath Says He'll Have Some of Both

Pasadena, Calif., Jan. 2 (AP)—Southern California coach Jeff Cravath, who should know, added his bit yesterday to the still raging argument over the comparative merits of Michigan and Notre Dame.

"Michigan wouldn't beat Notre Dame's first team," he said after the Wolverines had trounced the Trojans 49 to 0. "but the Michigan reserve strength is far superior."

And would he prefer Bob Chappuis or Johnny Lujack on his team?

"Both," was Cravath's quick answer.

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China introduced tea to Japan about 600 A. D.

Cornell
Cornell, Mich.—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hedberg of Chicago are spending the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Roy of Cornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schmidt and daughter Karen of Washington, D. C. are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lundgaard of Cornell. Mrs. Schmidt is the former Mary Lundgaard formerly of Cornell.

Miss Lettie Way of Detroit spent a few days with relatives and friends in Cornell during the holidays.

FOOLER SPOTS
When the pigmy owl looks backward over his shoulder, two large eye-spots on the back of the head give him the appearance of staring straight ahead.

Our Boarding House
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4-H Club Party
The Cornell 4-H Club enjoyed a Christmas party at the Cornell Hall on Dec. 20. Games were played and gifts were exchanged. Lunch was served.

Ice Rink
The young people of Cornell and surrounding communities will soon be able to enjoy an ice rink which was made possible by the Cornell Lions Club. The rink is located in Cornell. Oral L. Thompson is president of the local club.

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By Fred Harman

Red Ryder
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FOUR BITS!

W-H-A-T?

! ? *

I THINK EASY WAS QUITE IMPRESSED BY THAT MYSTERY GIRL WASH! AFTER ALL, IT WAS ROMANTIC THE WAY HE MET HER!

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SHIP AGROUND; CREW RESCUED

Coast Guards Save 21
In Heavy Seas Off
Carolina Coast

Ocracoke, N. C., Jan. 2 (P)—Coast Guardsmen working against heavy seas early today rescued 21 men from a fishing steamer driven aground shortly before midnight on the beach of tiny Ocracoke Island.

Another member of the crew of the steamer, the Charlie Mason out of Morehead City, N. C., died of a heart attack after leaping into the water from the stranded vessel, Chief Boatswain's Mate J. L. Gaskill of the Ocracoke life boat station reported.

The dead man was identified only as a negro. His name was withheld pending notification of next of kin.

Gaskill, acting chief of the station on this 14-mile Long Island on North Carolina's outer banks, said the 125-foot vessel was driven on the beach at 11:30 p. m. (EST) last night by southwesterly winds of 35 to 40 miles an hour.

He quoted crew members as saying that 11 of the crew, including the negro seaman who died, leaped overboard when the ship lurged into the breakers. Coast Guardsmen picked up the 11 men from the water and removed the other by means of a breeches buoy.

The last man was removed from the stranded vessel at 2 a. m. (EST) today.

Gaskill said the ship will be saved as the sea was going down early this morning.

Gaskill said none of the men required medical attention.

Hotel Room Blaze Kills Saginaw Man At Oklahoma City

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 2 (P)—First Lt. Thomas O. Brown, 22-year-old army pilot from Saginaw, Mich., was found dead last night in his fire-scarred hotel room.

Officials of Tinker Field here said the pilot's bed at the Field hotel for transient air personnel had been destroyed by fire and his badly burned body was found near a door, indicated he tried to escape the smoke-filled room.

Lt. Brown, stationed at Elmendorf Field, Fort Richardson, Alaska, with the 54th Troop Carrier Squadron, was here with a crew to take a C-54 to his home base.

His home address was listed as 406 S. Porter in Saginaw.

Central States Women's Bowling Meet Near Finale

Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 2—(P)—With the weekend only a week away, many of the Midwest's most prominent feminine pin stars will toe the line here Saturday and Sunday in the semi-weekend of action in the Central States women's bowling tournament.

Heading the list of name teams shooting at the leading 2981 total of the Saginaw Bowling Bar will be the Tavern Pale team from Chicago, led by Catherine Fellmeth and Nina Van Camp, considered by many to be the top feminine stars of the nation.

Other highly-regarded teams slated to roll during the weekend are the Panatorium Majors of Grand Rapids, who had most actual pins in last year's handicap tourney; Atlas Metal Plating of Detroit; Home Furniture and North Canton Dairies of Canton, Ohio, and Hilltop Van and Storage of Columbus, Ohio.

Lee Moskal and Lydia Spear of Saginaw currently lead the doubles with 1267 while Grace Miller of Battle Creek tops the singles with 682 and Detroit's Val Mihel heads the all-events with 1754.

Sports Mirror

Today a year ago—The New York Yankees announced that Frank Crosetti had been signed as player-coach for 1947.

Three years ago—Track betting record falls on final day at Tropical Park when \$357,414 wagered; Ted Atkinson rode Triple in last three races there.

Five years ago—Cpl. Barney Ross named winner of Spokane Athletic Round Table award for 1942.

Ten years ago—Edward Joseph Neil, Jr., AP war correspondent and former sports writer, died at Saragosa, Spain, from shrapnel wounds inflicted when auto carrying four writers hit by shell on Spanish Civil War battlefield.

Spartan Cagers Go to St. Louis

East Lansing, Jan. 2—(P)—A 12-member Michigan State basketball squad will leave today for St. Louis, Mo., where the Spartans will open a two-game road trip against Washington University Jan. 3.

Center Bob Brannum, leading scorer for an MSC court squad that has four victories in five starts, will be playing his first game since his selection as captain of the MSC five.

DOWNS DO IT

Sheboygan, Wis., Jan. 2 (P)—The Flint Dows capitalized on free throws to register a 69 to 64 victory over the Sheboygan Redskins last night. The Dows tipped in 25 free throws—the first 16 without a miss—for the margin of victory.

TWISTERS HIT DIXIE STATES: SCORE KILLED

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eral states were isolated from telephone communication as the icy gales snapped lines. Highways in many Midwest areas were impassable. Trains and buses operated far behind schedule and all airline flights in and out of Chicago and other Midwest cities were canceled.

The strong winds—gusts reached as high as 60 miles an hour in some parts of the storm belt—wrecked radio towers in Chicago and broke store windows and toppled trees in many communities. Nine transmitter towers toppled and three others were damaged in and near Chicago. Mechanical difficulties interrupted broadcasts on many of the major stations.

The winds stirred up Lakes Michigan and Erie and the Coast Guard at Milwaukee said waves were 30 feet high. High water on Lake Erie forced 50 families to evacuate from the resort area along the north shore of the Detroit area. In Chicago the south section of Lake Shore Drive along Lake Michigan was closed after waves flooded the heavily traveled highway.

New York City, slowly recovering from a record snowfall of 25.3 inches last week, was pelted by freezing rain. Traffic slowed and reports of power failures were numerous. The freezing rain also hit northern New Jersey and many sections were without electric and telephone service.

Maryland was drenched with the heaviest rains ever recorded on New Year's Day. Baltimore reported more than two inches, while the fall in north central West Virginia measured an inch and a half. Some streets were flooded in Philadelphia as rain fell throughout Pennsylvania. Sleet was reported in the northeastern section of the state and Eastern and Allentown reported power line failures.

DRIFTS PILE UP
Boston, Jan. 2 (P)—New England was hit today by its third severe storm in 10 days with precipitation eight to 12 inches of new snow would fall by midnight.

Children Abandoned In Swamp; Couple Sought for Robbery

Bainbridge, Ga., Jan. 2 (P)—A young married couple who abandoned their two small children—one of whom was later found dead—are being held in jail here, Sheriff R. A. Stephens said, in connection with the robbing and shooting of a Negro taxi driver.

Stephens identified the parents as Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cook, both of whom were being sought by police, he said, when they left their seven-month-old daughter and three-year-old son in a desolate swamp in this southwestern section of Georgia.

"We found the little girl dead on a small hill by the side of a river," the sheriff related, "and the little boy almost dead in the bushes not far away."

The children were abandoned in the swamp Tuesday and were found the next day, Stephens added.

The sheriff said that Cook and his brother, Eugene, are charged with robbing and shooting the cab driver Monday night, and that Mrs. Cook is charged with being an accessory.

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The Misses June Kauthen and Ann Anderson of Lake Linden were weekend guests of Helen Berg at the Albin Berg home.

Dorin DeRothers has been sick for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hynes of Cornish spent Christmas day with their mother, Mrs. Clara Hynes.

Mrs. Francis Prokop of Rhineland and Miss Grace Boudreau of Indianapolis were holiday guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Octave Boudreau. The latter returned Sunday and the former Tuesday.

The Ray Ranguettes of Manistique are spending the vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tatrow.

Mrs. Henry Gardner of Manistique spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Elzida Gauthier.

Mrs. Julia Egger of Naima was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ossie Hazen, Tuesday.

Miss Lois Kreshefske left Monday for Chicago after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kreshefske of Van's Harbor.

Mrs. Hilda Johnson, who is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Tatrow is visiting relatives in Gladstone for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Farley and sons Wayne and Barry motored to Manistique Sunday to be guests of their daughter, Mrs. Walter Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bernier and family of Escanaba were weekend guests at the Eugene Bernier sr. home.

Mrs. Charles Winter, daughter Marcella and son Vernon visited at the Eugene Johnson home in Manistique Saturday.

Miss Muriel Gauthier, R. N., left Monday for Ypsilanti after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gauthier.

CABIN FIRE FATAL
Manistee, Mich., Jan. 2 (P)—Two Manistee men were burned to death in a fire that destroyed their small cabin on Canfield Lake, a mile south of Manistee early Thursday morning.

The victims were Gordon Kujala and Eldred Nelson, both 22.

FRANCE FIGHTS OFF INFLATION

Premier Stakes All On
Bill To Raise About
Billion Dollars

Paris, Jan. 2 (P)—Premier Robert Schuman presented a new anti-inflation bill to the French National assembly today and threatened to resign if any changes were voted in it.

The bill was designed to raise about 120 billion francs—a billion dollars.

Schuman decided to withdraw a previous anti-inflation bill approved by the assembly. That measure gave Frenchmen a choice of paying 150 billion francs additional income tax or investing the same amount in government bonds. It was designed to help pay for a big reconstruction program and to drain off excess purchasing power.

Amendments in the chamber cut the expected income from the bill by about a third. Deputies exempted several classes of French citizens from its provisions.

The premier said his new bill was a compromise and told the deputies he would accept no changes. The cabinet, at a meeting earlier, authorized Schuman to demand a vote of confidence from the assembly "as often as necessary."

After hearing the premier's statement, the assembly recessed until midafternoon.

McMillan

McMillan, Mich.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hartwick and daughter Esther of Crosswell arrived Friday to spend a week's vacation at their summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner and children Johnnie and Jean Ann spent Christmas day in Newberry at the home of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kalnvaich.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gibert left Tuesday to spend the winter months in the lower part of the state.

Everett Kiff returned to McMillan Tuesday following a business trip to Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bowen and family of Detroit are visiting here over the holidays as the guests of Mrs. Bowen's mother, Mrs. Crystal Wheeler and relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harkness.

Elwood, small son of Mr. and Mrs. William Priefs is confined to his home this week suffering from an attack of mumps.

Dr. and Mrs. M. B. Purdy and children, H. B. and Abby Gail of Newberry, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Terry of Royal Oak, and Mrs. Esther Shelton of McMillan were Christmas day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tompkins and daughters, Karlin and Patricia have returned to their home in Traverse City following a visit here at the home of Mrs. Tompkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Locke.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirby and family had as their guests Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scray, Mrs. Sarah Locke, Mrs. Gretta Snyder and daughter Dorothy, Mrs. Oliver Barney and children, Mr. and Mrs. Edison Locke, Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder of McMillan, Trooper and Mrs. Harold Snyder and daughter of Manistique and Gordon Snyder of Ann Arbor.

Miss Barbara Letcher and Miss Jean Lind have returned to their homes in Ishpeming following a short visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Poppe.

Harry J. Skinner and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Terry spent the weekend at the Skinner cabin on the Tahquamenon river, making the trip on snowshoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter McInnis and granddaughter Jacqueline Secrist had as their guests Christmas day 36 relatives including Mr. and Mrs. John Hoder and children of Escanaba, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norton and son Dennis of Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bryers and family of Lakefield, Mr. and Mrs. Darb Tait of Newberry, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McInnis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McInnis and son Richard of McMillan.

JACKSON MAN DROWNS

Hernando, Fla., Jan. 2 (P)—Search was continued today for the body of W. R. Windle, 39-year-old Jackson, Mich., man who drowned in a lake near here yesterday while trying to tow a motorboat close enough to rescue him.

BORN AT MIDNIGHT

Detroit (P)—Two tiny boys—David Allan Gagnon and Barry Gravelle—arrived with the New Year on the stroke of midnight to become the first 1948 babies born in Detroit.

CHICAGO PRICES

CHICAGO BUTTER
Chicago, Jan. 2 (P)—Butter, firm; receipts: 25,226; prices one to two cents a pound higher; 92 score AA, 92; A and 92, 93; 88; 88 C, 82; cars: 90 B, 88; 89 C, 82.

CHICAGO EGGS
Chicago, Jan. 2 (P)—Eggs, unsettled; receipts: 8,884; prices unchanged.

CHICAGO POTATOES
Chicago, Jan. 2 (P)—(U.S.A.)—Potatoes: Total U. S. shipments Wednesday 625 and Thursday 431; arrived 34; on track 186; supplies rather light; demand good; market stronger especially for russets; Colorado Red McClure, \$1.10 to \$1.25; Idaho russet Burbank, U. S. No. 1, \$5.15 to \$5.30; standard, \$4.75; utilities, \$4.15; Minnesota-North Dakota Red River Valley cobbles, \$2.70.

SLEET GLAZE COVERS MOST OF MICHIGAN

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while Mary Etta Higby of Flint, sister of Mrs. Banavich, was reported in critical condition at Memorial hospital in Owosso.

Miss Higby, driving the car, apparently lost control of the vehicle and it skidded into the path of a truck driven by Howard Null of Hobart, Ind., sheriff's officers reported. Null was not injured.

At Flint, William M. French was killed late Thursday when struck by a car as he crossed a street. A New Year's eve traffic crash took the life of Robert Welles, 28, of Detroit. Police said Welles' car skidded and struck a tree.

Michigan Bell servicemen worked to repair lines in the isolated communities and also in Detroit, where dropped lines left 255 homes in the Detroit area without telephones. At Ypsilanti, the company resorted to batteries to operate telephone equipment.

Across the Detroit river in Windsor, Ont., the sleet storm ripped down power and telephone wires and put the Windsor-Toronto long distance circuit out of order. Calls were being routed through London as repairs were worked on the 100 toppled power line poles and 150 telephone poles that were down.

Highways Dangerous

The Lake Erie "evacuation" affected families at Balles Harbor, Detroit Beach, Stoney Point, Grandview Beach and Bay Crest Grove.

Officers said most of the homes involved were summer cottages being used for year-around residences because of the housing shortage.

With highways throughout a large part of the state slick and dangerous, transportation was slowed considerably, police reported.

Great Lakes Greyhound bus lines, after being forced to cancel all its interstate runs for seven hours yesterday morning, reported service nearly normal today, with no runs more than an hour late.

However, officials at Willow Run airport reported service had been virtually cut off since Wednesday morning by the storm and low ceiling. A New York trip was the only flight checked out since then, the airport spokesmen added.

The weather bureau at Detroit reported that area's sleet would change to snow before the end of the day, and that some snow would continue until nightfall in most of lower Michigan.

The storm already abating somewhat—will be nearly spent by the end of the day, the weatherman predicted. Its finish will be accompanied by a sharp drop in temperature.

Storm warnings and predictions of high winds and snow squalls on Lake Michigan were issued yesterday by the Chicago weather bureau.

Search Expanded For Missing B-29 Off Alaska Coast

Anchorage, Alaska, Jan. 2 (P)—An army harbor vessel crisscrossed waters of Cook inlet near here today as part of an expanding search for an air force B-29 superfortress that vanished Wednesday a few minutes after taking off from Elmendorf Field with nine crewmen aboard.

The 150-foot army transportation service vessel LT-822 arrived from Kodiak under command of Capt. Ray Harris. Planes and ground parties scanned the Point McKenzie area west of her all day yesterday without finding a trace of the missing B-29.

A British flash seen in the plane's line of flight just after it left on a weather observation mission led searchers to fear it exploded and fell into Cook inlet. Meantime there was no word from the search for five men missing after the crash of another B-29 north of Nome Dec. 23. Missing are the pilot and navigator of the plane, unreported since they set out afoot to seek aid, and three members of a medical team who parachuted in rescue efforts. Six crew members of the crashed plane were rescued.

SAVED FROM FIRE

Battle Creek (P)—The screams of 10-year-old Barbara Gregg and her brother Richard, eight, awakened their parents and grandparents as smoke and flames filled the family home early Thursday, and all six fled to safety. Escaping with the children were their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gregg, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gregg, their grandparents.

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Cleveland Girl, 8, Stabbed to Death While On Errand

Cleveland, Jan. 2 (P)—The knife-pierced body of a blonde, eight-year-old east side girl who disappeared while on an errand for her father, was found late last night on a neighbor's porch, less than a block from her home.

Detective Lieut. Peter Kekic identified the victim as Shelia Ann Tuley, daughter of a 34-year-old machine grinder. Kekic said that what appeared to be stab wounds from both a knife and an ice pick were found on Shelia's back and head.

He said that Shelia's clothes were torn and stained and that blood from her face was smeared on her hands and a nearby window. The body also bore severe bruises, Kekic reported.

The girl's death today was ruled a homicide by Coroner S. R. Gerber. He said she had been stabbed seven times and had definitely not been assaulted.

Police said they had no idea who killed the girl.

Edward J. Tuley, Shelia's father, was searching the neighborhood for the child when he happened upon the scene, shortly after C. James Endicott had summoned police. Police said Endicott told them he found the body on his front porch upon returning with his wife and two children from an overnight visit at nearby Mentor, O.

Holy Land Strife Claims 507 Lives; Funeral Attacked

By CARTER L. DAVIDSON

Jerusalem, Jan. 2 (P)—Arab Jewish strife ignited by the United Nations decision 34 days ago to partition the Holy Land continued without a lull today and the unofficial count of dead mounted to 507.

Seventeen persons—four Jews, 11 Arabs, a German and a Pole—died in sporadic outbursts of violence on the New York's first day yesterday.

Rifle fire crackled across the slopes of the Mount of Olives this morning, as Arab snipers attacked a Jewish funeral procession, and police said one mourner suffered serious wounds. A short time later Arabs attacked a Jewish bus in the Jaffa gate area of Jerusalem, but no casualties were reported.

The funeral was the fourth to be attacked and the first to reach the cemetery on the Mount of Olives in four days. A British policeman and a Hagana guard escorting a cortege were killed in a similar attack Tuesday.

South Carolina Boy Admits Killing His Parents in Quarrel

Winston-Salem, N. C., Jan. 2 (P)—Sixteen-year-old Tommy Lee Phillips who, Sheriff Ernie Shore of Forsyth county said, has admitted shooting his parents, was held in jail here today on a murder charge.

The boy was arrested yesterday in York, S. C., with his 16-year-old sweetheart, Bessie Ruth Jenkins of Winston-Salem, Shore said. The teen-age couple had sought to marry in York, the sheriff added.

The dark-haired eleventh grade pupil is accused of shooting his father, T. E. Phillips, and his mother to death with a .22 caliber rifle Wednesday following a quarrel over the theft of \$232 from the elder Phillips' wallet.

Shore said young Phillips signed a statement that he shot his mother when she went to the kitchen telephone to summon aid after he had wounded his father. The parents' bodies were found the afternoon of the slayings by neighbors who had sought unsuccessfully to reach the Phillips by telephone.

JAZZ PRINCE DEAD

Grand Rapids, Jan. 2 (P)—Funeral services will be held here Monday for Jack F. Crawford, 44, nationally known as "the clown prince of jazz" who died Thursday night of a heart ailment at Evansville, Ind., where his orchestra was playing an engagement.

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TRAIN WRECK IN MISSOURI FATAL TO 14

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Ryan, the wife, James, 20, a son, and Judith, 18, a daughter, and Frankie, 9, a son. The Ryans were returning to Hollywood after visiting relatives in Richmond, Ind.

The other identified dead included pullman conductor E. K. Emmons, St. Charles, Mo.; pullman porter Harry Chamber, (618 Madison) Lovejoy, Ill., and Roy Ryan, sr., Evansville, Ind.

Four of the dead had not been identified positively but Missouri state highway patrolman K. K. Johnson said personal effects had been found for the following:

Harriet Thompson, St. Louis, daughter of Dr. John P. Murphy, Katy railroad physician.

Viola Andrews, Richmond, Va., the Weddells' maid.

Miss Jane Boddatz, 442 Alexander, San Fernando, Calif.

Cpl. Everett P. Gilpin or Gerhart, RA 18034669, en route from Green Haven, N. Y., to Camp Crook, Calif.

Negligence Charged

Removal of the bodies was hampered by sub-freezing temperatures. Traffic on the tracks was expected to be resumed today.

The Missouri Pacific issued a statement saying there probably was "flagrant negligence on the part of certain train employees." Earlier Col. High Waggoner of the state highway patrol attributed the collision to an apparent failure of block signals. The Missouri Pacific statement said the signals were in perfect order.

The scene of the wreck is about 95 miles east of Kansas City. Approximately 100 passengers in the forward coaches were not aware of the fatalities in the rear pullman until nearly seven hours after the wreck when they were taken of the train to finish their journey to Kansas City. Only the rear wheels on the car ahead of the telescoped pullman left the rails.

Identification of the Weddells was made by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baldwin of St. Louis. The Weddells had stopped in St. Louis Dec. 31 for dinner with Baldwin, who is a son of the late L. W. Baldwin, former president of the Missouri Pacific railroad.

TESTIMONIAL PLANNED

Lansing, Jan. 2 (P)—More than 100 state officials and military officers will attend a testimonial dinner here tomorrow night for Brig. Gen. LeRoy Pearson, who retired as adjutant general of Michigan after 42 years of military service to the state and nation.

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